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Local Weather
Forecast: Fair tonight. Tuesday unsettled with probably showers. Not much change in temperature.
Today's temperatures: 6 a. m., 41; 8 a. m., 45; 1 p. m., 58.

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Getting Better All The Time

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GEN. PERSHING HASTENS TO IDENTIFY VILLA

YEGGS BLOW SAFE AND ESCAPE WITH $600 AS BARTENDER WONDERS

HOUSE BUDGET IS NECESSITY FOR WHO WOULD SAVE

Simple System Should Divide Income Into Departments and Keep Within the Limits

SAVINGS SHOULD BE FIGURED

Adequate Arrangement of $1,200 Income Is 30 Per Cent for Food and 23 Per Cent for Rent

SAVING BY SHIFTING OUT

Slicing on Clothes or Luxuries Puts More Into Savings or Education Funds

BY FREDERIC J. HASKIN

WASHINGTON, D. C., April 17.—A family, whose income was twenty-five hundred a year, had never saved a cent. They were not profligate in any sense. They paid a moderate rent for a house in the location where they thought it best for the two children to grow up, they did not set an elaborate table nor wear costly clothes, but still they lived up to their income—the money went, and half the time they did not know how.

Illness Brought Saving

Then, not long ago, one of the children had a bad case of mastoiditis which kept him several weeks in the hospital, and the bills for medical attention approximated $350. They decided to borrow the sum and pay it back out of their income, so for the first time they drew up a family budget in which they made an inventory of their expenses. A complete readjustment in household expenditures followed, and they saved the amount of the loan within the year. After that, they got the habit, and put a certain per cent of their income in the local savings bank every month.

It usually takes some sudden financial crisis such as this to teach the importance of saving, although since the European war there has been a change in the American attitude toward thrift. The great men of all nations have been holding forth on the value of economy, and the words of an American financier have been quoted widely. "If you want to know whether you are destined to be a success or failure in life, you can easily find out. Ask yourself but one question: Are you able to save money? If not, drop out of the procession, for the seed of success is not in you!"

Installments as Rent

So, thrift has ceased to be ignominious, but the great trouble lies in the fact that many people don't know how to save. When factories and other business enterprises desire to save more money, they secure the services of an efficiency expert, who points out various places where there is unnecessary waste. But the householder has nothing to guide him but his own common sense. There are many different ways of saving, and what is successful in one case will not prove so in another.

In every household, however, there should be a budget—a simple system of bookkeeping whereby the income is distributed into various divisions, including shelter, food, clothing, operating expenses, which comprise heat, light, laundry, etc.; education amusements and savings. There is no universal concensus of opinion as to how much should be expended on each item as some people prefer to pay more for rent and less for food or more for clothes and less for rent, but various schedules have been suggested. An adequate adjustment of incomes from $1,200 to $1,600 a year, for example, is given as 30 per cent for food; 23 per cent for rent; clothing 14 per cent; operating expenses, 13 per cent; education, 6 per cent; luxuries, including amusements, 4 per cent; which leaves 10 per cent to be saved. The majority of persons spend more nearly 10 per cent for luxurics, and as a consequence other things must suffer—usually the saving account.

The thing to do is to make up

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MAJESTIC STRONG BOX RIPPED OPEN POLICE CLUELESS

Ernest Behrens, a Few Feet Away, Hears Explosion Through Partition But Police Are Not Told

JOB WORK OF EXPERT YEGGMEN

Two Explosions Neatly Rip Doors from Safe Less Than Hour After Employes Leave

HID SELVES IN THE HOUSE

Police Believe Gang Lay in Hiding Until Freise and McMahon Left to Catch Early Train

While a bartender a few feet away was considering what could be the import of a muffled explosion that startled him through a partition, yeggs this morning cleaned out the Majestic theater safe of nearly $600 in cash and a valuable diamond ring. The robbery took place at 4:50 this morning, but was not reported to the police until 7:20, when the theater janitor, on his morning round, discovered the wrecked safe.

The door of the heavy safe in the private office of Manager F. L. Koppelberger was blown clear across the room by the force of the charge of nitroglycerine used by the safe-blowers. Chief John B. Webber, after examining the safe, said that the job was undoubtedly the work of expert cracksmen. The crack around the door of the safe had been sealed with soap, leaving a tiny aperture at the top through which the "soup" was poured in to percolate around the door. Then a fuse had been attached on the outside and lighted.

Two explosions

There were two explosions, the police declare, since both the inner and outer doors of the safe were torn from their hinges. Ernest Behrens, bartender in Nic Kaiser's saloon in the Majestic building, heard but one report, he told the police, about five minutes after he arrived to open up the buffet. He thus missed the first and heavier explosion, by which the six-inch-thick outer door was blown off. The dull report, which he described as a jarring bump, is believed by the police to have been the lighter explosion with which the door to the safe's strong box was ripped from its hinges.

Most of the money which the yeggs got away with was silver in varying denominations. Much of it was small change. There was but $130 in currency and $10 in gold, Mr. Koppelberger said this morning.

A little diamond ring, a present to Mary Jane Koppelberger, the man-

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GOVERNOR PECK WATCHFUL CHIEF SAYS O. R. SKAAR

Postmaster Olaf R. Skaar, prominent in state democratic politics and an intimate friend of Governor Peck during his two terms as governor, told of his acquaintanceship with Governor Peck in an interview with The TRIBUNE today.

Postmaster Skaar was chief clerk of the Wisconsin land office at the capital in Madison from 1891 until 1895, while Governor Peck was executive of Wisconsin.

"The governor came into the office every day," Postmaster Skaar said. "He was one of the most congenial men I have ever met. He made the rounds of every office in the capital almost daily. He always had a pleasant word for everyone from the lowest to the highest official.

"The governor always arrived at his offices in the capital at 9 o'clock in the morning. He owned two water spaniels which followed him everywhere he went. They were familiar objects in his executive offices.

"Governor Peck looked after the more ordinary business of the state more minutely than anyone I ever knew. He was a man of big ability."

BRIDGE WILL FALL IF OPENED SAYS CITY OFFICIAL

Daren't Swing Draw in the Black River or West Approach Will Slide Into Water and Wreck It

HOUSEBOATERS CLAMOR FOR PATH

High Water Has Undermined Approach so That It Is Held Up Only by Draw-span

If the north side bridge across Black river were opened, the west approach would slide into the river, this morning declared Fred Schnell, commissioner of the board of public works. He announced that with the bridge in such rickety condition, the city dare not open the draw, despite the demands of houseboaters who wish to get their craft down to the Mississippi river.

High water of the last few weeks has so undermined the approach that it is now supported entirely by the draw-span, Mr. Schnell averred this morning. Although the Black river is a navigable stream under the rating of the war department, and as such must have a bridge ready to swing on demand, the bridge, he said, cannot be opened. Possibility of legal action to force the city to open the path to the main river loomed in the offing today, with the clamor of at least two houseboaters who are insisting that they be allowed to get through.

N. C. Batchelder and Orville Jones, both La Crosse residents, are demanding the draw be opened. Batchelder wishes to get his boat below the bridges, ready for the summer. Jones, a clammer, would go downriver to pursue his occupation, claiming every day's delay a great loss to him.

The bridge has not been opened for several years, although Black river is held navigable to Onalaska. Onalaska houseboat owners have reached the Mississippi through the sloughs at the head of French Island, a recourse suggested for those now demanding the draw be opened. It is suggested the city may hire launches to tow the houseboats in question around the island and down the Mississippi.

PERSHING ORDERED TO SEND MEN INTO PARRAL MOUNTAINS

Funston Does Not Wait for Confirmation of Villa Death Report; Will Not Relax Vigilance

SAN ANTONIO, Texas, April 17.—Lacking official advices of Francisco Villa's death, Major General Funston today ordered General Pershing to rush a detachment into the mountains west of Parral, where Villa was reported to have taken refuge. Other forces totalling 200 men, were hastily finishing defensive works at Santa Cruz to meet any move on the part of the Carranzistas in Parral.

Major R. L. Howze reported he had definitely located Villa in the mountains, following a clash in which one American trooper named Kirby was killed and two severely wounded.

Howze and his force were making a detour in the region of La Borja, northwest of Parral, when they encountered a Villista band. A sharp clash followed, he reported. The Villista casualties were not stated. Shortly afterward Howze and his detachment of the Tenth cavalry leaped into the fight at Santa Cruz where the American forces had retreated after being trapped at Parral, and aided them in turning back the Mexicans.

Funston was reluctant to believe the Americans were led into a trap by Carranzista officers at Parral. But the reports of Major Tompkins stated the Americans were invited into the city by an officer of the de facto garrison and then attacked as they marched into town. In addition there was the fact that 300 Carranzistas flanked the Americans behind a railroad embankment, forcing them to flee under heavy fire toward Santa Cruz. Despite the propriety of Tompkins' course in retreating to avoid engaging the de facto troops, General Funston admitted the Mexican civil population might draw the wrong conclusion from the action, construing the retreat as a rout.

Officers believed many more Americans had been wounded in the battle, but probably so slightly as not

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GEORGE W. PECK FORMER RESIDENT SUDDENLY CALLED

Ex-Governor and Author of "Peck's Bad Boy" Dies in Milwaukee Sanitarium

WAS PROMINENT IN LA CROSSE

Chief of Police Here for a Short Tie and Editor on Pomeroy's Democrat of Ancient Fame

FAR-FAMED AS A FUNNY MAN

Made His Fortune with Paper Established Here Under Name of "Peck's Sun"

Former Governor George W. Peck, once a prominent newspaperman of La Crosse, and world-famed as the author of that classic of the last generation, "Peck's Bad Boy," is dead. He died suddenly yesterday afternoon at Riverside Sanitarium, in Milwaukee. At 2 o'clock yesterday afternoon he was thought to be on the road to recovery. At 2:45 his condition took a sudden turn for the worse, and the end came in fifteen minutes, before relatives could be called.

The famous humorist was a prominent figure in La Crosse, about which were grouped many of the incidents in which his "Bad Boy" figured. He was one of the editors of Brick Pomeroy's famous Democrat, the paper which grew to a circulation of a quarter of a million, in a few years after it was started in La Crosse. The Democrat grew to the dignity of a New York edition, and the future governor was for three years the managing editor of that ill-fated venture, which was a supporter of the Tweed ring.

Was Only Living Ex-Chief

A little known incident in the life of Former Governor Peck is summed up in the statement by Chief of Police John B. Webber this morning:

"He was the only living ex-chief of La Crosse police."

The famous author served for a little less than a year as police chief in La Crosse, being appointed in 1873. He resigned in 1874, when he moved to Milwaukee.

Came Here from Ripon

Mr. Peck came to La Crosse from Ripon, where he was editor and publisher of the Ripon representative. He sold the Ripon sheet in 1868 to accept Pomeroy's offer with the Democrat. In 1871 he returned to La Crosse from New York, and three years later he became half owner of the Democrat. It was in the same year that he started Peck's Sun, the paper which made his fortune.

In 1878 he removed Peck's Sun from La Crosse to Milwaukee, and it shortly became famous all over the country. The quaint humorous twist with which Mr. Peck flavored his columns resulted in a popularity that increased the circulation of the Sun to eighty thousand, extending to all parts of the country.

Governor Peck, who became the state's executive in the revolt against the plan to make public school attendance compulsory, as compared with the parochial schools, was one of Wisconsin's few democritac governors.

Was Well Known Nimrod

After his term in office he returned to his love for printer's ink and for the hunting field, being almost as well known among gun experts in the shooting of wild fowl as he was among readers for his writings.

Six months ago he began to be troubled with Bright's disease, and has been kept to his home by this trouble much of that time. He was in bad health for two months, then appeared to be mending.

A week ago, however, his condition took a turn for the worse and he was taken to the sanitarium. He appeared to improve until the sudden change for the worse yesterday afternoon. The funeral arrangements will not be made until his relatives arrive late tonight from Chicago.

Best Known as Author

George W. Peck, former governor of Wisconsin, was perhaps most

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NOTE TO GERMANY FORWARD TONIGHT GERMANY PARLEYS

Executive Works All Day Sunday to Get Note Into Shape; Cabinet Gives Sanction

GERMANY SPARS FOR TIME

No Action By Berlin Apparent to Prove Nation Would Keep Faith With U. S.

BY ROBERT J. BENDER
(United Pres Staff Correspondent.)

WASHINGTON, April 17.—President Wilson's new note to Germany probably will go forward tonight. It was stated at the White house today that the president had devoted practically all of his attention to preparation of the communication Saturday and Sunday and expects to put the last work on it this afternoon.

All of the preliminary work has been completed by Secretary Lansing and the cabinet has ratified the substance of the note.

It is still held likely that when the communication is completed, the president will go over it with members of the house and senate foreign relations committee, but thus far he has made no request for an appointment with Senator Stone or Representative Flood, chairman of the committee.

Unofficial reports continue to pour into Washington from Berlin, indicating strongly that Germany will go the limit to avoid a break with the United States. It is known that important cable messages have been received from Ambassador Gerard during the last twenty-four hours, outlining the feeling in Berlin on the pending negotiations. There is, however, no apparent change in the intentions of this government to go ahead with its policy to bring to an immediate head some physical action by Germany proving beyond any question of doubt her desire to keep faith and friendly relations with the United States.

TROOPS' MOVEMENT BY RAIL CAUSES CRISIS AT ATHENS

Greek Government Overridden and Serbs from Corfu Ride on Rails to Salonika

LONDON, April 17—Decisive steps by the allies have forced a new crisis at Athens with the possibility that Greece may find herself thrust into war against her will.

Over-riding the objections of the Greek government, the allies have begun transporting Serbian troops overland by rail from Corfu to Salonika.

The Austrian and German governments, according to Athens dispatches today, protested several days ago that they would regard it as a deliberately unfriendly act if Greece permitted this troop movement.

French correspondents at Athens reported today that King Constantine is incensed at the action of the allies and may attempt to stop the transportation of Serbian troops by a show of arms.

The allies did not want to transport the newly equipped Serbian army from the Island of Corfu to Salonika by water, because of the danger from Austro-German submarines. They, therefore, suggested to Premier Skouloudis that the Serbian troops be sent to Patras by steamer and then transported by rail.

The Greek prime minister sounded out the German and Austrian ministers on this suggestion. They telegraphed their governments and received immediate replies that both Germany and Austria would consider that Greece had over-stepped the bounds of neutrality if she acquiesced in the allies' suggestion.

This information was at once communicated to the ministers of the allies. Premier Skouloudis announced that Serbian troops would have to pass through Piraeus, the port of Athens, in a movement by rail, and that their presence near the capital might inflame the people with violent demonstrations.

The allies however, proceeded with their arrangements and the first Serbian detachment to be landed at Patrias reached Salonika on Saturday.

French Airmen Bombard

SALONIKA, April 17.—French air flotillas bombarded enemy camps at Strumnitza and Bogantizi Sunday.

BODY ALLEGED THAT OF SLAIN BANDIT DELAYED ENROUTE TO CHIHUAHUA

MARY CASSATT IS PAINTER OF LOVE AND THAT IS ART

Prof. D. O. Coate Discusses the Work of One of the Truly Great Painters in Local Exhibit

REVEAL'S LIFE'S GREAT ROMANCE

"Craftsman" Pays Tribute to Woman Who with Daring Brush Has Shown Deep Understanding

The Art Exhibit which opened yesterday afternoon at Washburn Library, by far the most notable given by the La Crosse Art association, will open each forenoon at 11 o'clock and remain open during regular library hours. During the day time visitors are requested to use the rear entrance, but during the evening they are expected to pass through the library reading rooms and use the inside stairway.

(By Prof. D. O. Coate.)

"Love absolute, complete, that vital creative quality which builds towering cathedrals, bridges nature's chasms with fairy iron structures, that pours, through song, up to the edge of the infinite, that cherishes and nourishes little children—to portray this in art, to cover canvas with so beautiful a message of the supreme emotion, is indeed splendid accomplishment for artist and humanity.

"To depict love, in its tenderest expression—contented mother and happy child—to reveal it in a mother's eyes, in the kind curves of her gracious body, to express the unutterable peace of accomplished maternity, and its response in the absolute confidence, joy and abandon of the child nestled eagerly to the warm encompassing heart, to do this with clarity of vision and surety of stroke and richness of tone, this is the art of Mary Cassatt, American born, French trained, wholly impersonal in the breadth of work, strikingly individual, yet national in the source of her inspiration.

It is an American mother and child whom Mary Cassatt paints, though her technique is of Paris—free, fearless, forceful French of a decade or two ago. It is never the dramatic mother or the picturesque child she seeks, but the universal bond between mother and child. One feels how tenderly, how profoundly these mothers love their babies, and how adoringly the babies turn and

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AMERICAN INJURED BY SHAPNEL ON RUSSIAN VESSEL

WASHINGTON, April 17.—One American was wounded by shrapnel and another uninjured when the Russian ship Imperator, lumber laden, Gulfport, Miss., to Marseilles, was fired upon and then set ablaze by an Austrian submarine, April 11, the Barcelona, Spain, consul reported today.

The wounded man is Gustave Olson, whose brother is foreman of the Bergen Garden Furniture company of Minneapolis; the other American is Aner Swennsson, whose father is band leader of the coast artillery at Fort Warren, Boston.

The consul's message said:

"The Russian ship Imperator with a cargo of lumber from Gulfport, Miss., to Marceilles was three times shot at by cannon, without warning, one taking effect. She was subsequently set afire by an Austrian submarine. This occurred April 11 near the Columbrede islands. Two Americans in crew, Gustave Olson, now in hospital with shrapnel wounds, and Aner Swennsson, uninjured."

CONTINUE PURSUIT UNTIL VILLA TALE IS QUITE VERIFIED

But Punitive Expedition Will End if It Shall Be Found Bandit Leader Is Dead

LACKS OFFICIAL CHARACTER

Story of Death Generally Credited But Pershing's Men Race for Mountain Passes

WORRY OVER TREACHERY TALE

Funston Doubts De Facto Plot at Parral But Concern of Incident Is Very Apparent

Reports to El Paso and Juarez late yesterday from San Antonio, Chihuahua, said that the body of Francisco Villa was being taken to Chihuahua City from Cusihuirachic, a little town in the foothills of the Sierras Tarahumares, having been found by General Carlos Carranza, a nephew of the de facto president of Mexico. The report is that Villa died from wounds received some time ago and that he was buried in a lonely place almost in the line of the American expedition. A Villa officer, it is understood, pointed out the grave on the promise of amnesty.

SAN ANTONIO, Texas, April 17.—General Pershing left Cusihuirichic with a cavalry detachment to view the body being brought to Chihuahua, claimed to be that of Villa, it was announced at headquarters today.

Pershing should be able to give positive advices in a few hours as to whether the body is that of the fugitive bandit unless the corpse is in such a condition as to prevent identification.

Hunt Villa's Doctor

General Funston today wired army officers at Douglas, Arizona, to look up a Doctor Wickman, who treated Villa for months last fall and have him view the body. To make the identification more certain, Funston also sent out qeries seeking other men who have known Villa more or less intimately during his recent career. This course on the part of the major general, despite the fact that no official intimation has come to him of Villa's body having been found, indicates Funston was placing considerable faith in the reports from Mexico. He declared he had no information on which to base a surmise that the body is Villa's. But Funston laid emphasis on the fact that the point where the body was exhumed is near the region where Colonel Howze reported Villa's latest operations—the Labourja region. Howze knew beyond question that Villa was in that section, it was stated, but the time was not made clear.

Dr. Wickman treated Villa for a blood disease and was held captive for two months in order to assure Villa medical attendance. He escaped the Villista army when the forces reached a point near Douglas and army officials lost track of him.

Funston said he, personally, would not view the body even if it were Villa's, and brought to the border to be seen by the American officials.

No further information on the fight and rioting at Parral had reached headquarters today. The only reports received stated that the portions of the Tenth, Eleventh and Thirteenth cavalry were now stationed at Santa Cruz, prepared to defend the position or take up the pursuit again.

WASHINGTON, April 17.—Francisco Villa, object of the American expedition into Mexico, is dead, according to advices reaching the state department yesterday.

This evidence indicates Villa is really dead:

Madera and Cusihuirachic telegraph operators on Mexican Northwestern railway so report to Carranza's consul general at El Paso, Andreas Garcia.

Dispatcher on the railroad at Juarez reports he heard a conversation on the wire that Villa's body was

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A Wonderful Paramount Show

CHARLOTTE WALKER Famous Lasky Star

Playing **"THE TRAIL OF THE LONESOME PINE"**

Based on the well known play in which Miss Walker made her greatest stage success. Theodore Roberts as "Devil Tolliver" is great.

Thomas Meighan and Earl Foxe play wonderful parts.

"A Day With The West Point Cadets"

Our third Burton Holmes Travel Picture, is the finest thing you have seen in pictures. Our West Pointers are the finest trained body of soldiers in the world.

Walter Goetzinger has some inspiring organ numbers for this Paramount show.

Showing again

Tonight, Tuesday Matinee and Evening

We could not better this program if we would.

Home of the Pipe Organ **The BIJOU** House of Paramount

COME EARLY, PLEASE

UPHOLD RURAL DAMES

MILWAUKEE, Wis., April 15.—The flashy city dames who sport short skirts, silk stockings and white shoes have nothing on the country girls, according to Frank Teske, president of the Wisconsin Travelers' Protective association which opened its annual convention here. He said that as a rule country people are now buying just as high class and up-to-date things as the city folks. About 175 delegates from over the state are attending the meeting.

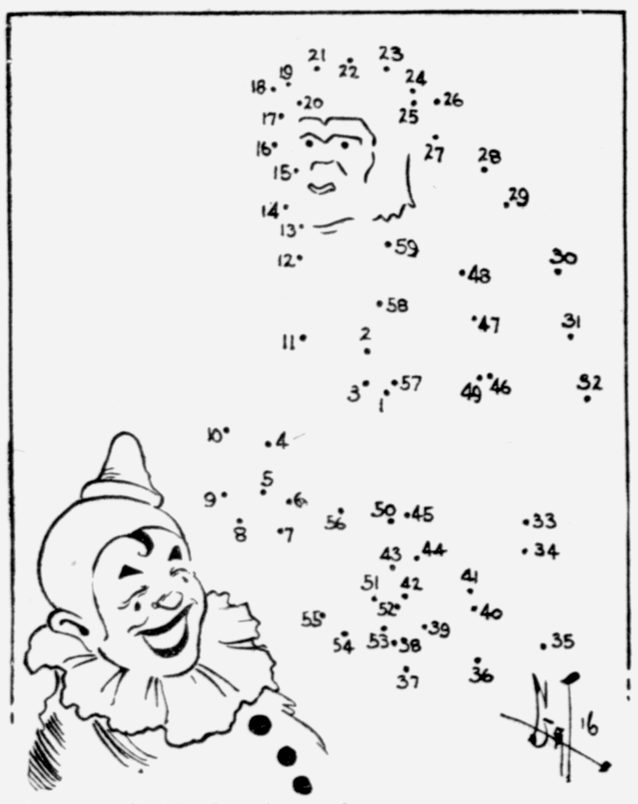
SELL END OF ROAD

RACINE, Wis., April 17.—The Wisconsin end of the Chicago-Milwaukee Electric railway will be sold at public auction in this city on the afternoon of May 1, according to announcement made by the receiver of the road.

AERIAL OFFICER DEAD

EL PASO, Texas, April 17.—Captain H. L. Brown of the aerial corps, died at Fort Bliss Saturday of heart disease.

DAILY PICTURE PUZZLE



Can you finish the picture?

Complete the picture by drawings a line through the dots. Begin at No. 1 and take them numerically.

ThankGoodness, WashDay's Over

Every Monday at just about this time, you heave a big sigh of relief. You've rubbed and boiled and scrubbed, and worked at top speed all day, and now it's all over—for another week.

Next Monday you'll have to do the same thing, and the Monday after that, and the Monday after that, and so on, world without end.

That is, unless you change your mind and send the weekly washing to us. We'll do it just as cheaply as you can, do just as good work, and Mondays will have no more terrors for you.

La Crosse Steam Laundry Co.

Launderers Dyers Cleaners

ONE VISIT NOT ENOUGH TO SEE 'BIRTH OF NATION'

When the wierd "call of the clan" sounds its two piercing minor notes at the Majestic next Sunday afternoon, it will awaken reminiscent echoes along with the inescapable spinal shiver in half of the audience which has gathered to see "The Birth of a Nation," judging from the number of seat-requests that have been already received. As in other cities, it is found that one sitting, to the majority of people, is not enough to fully appreciate "The Birth of a Nation." Its effect, like that of any great work of art, grows with repetition. It is so packed full and running over with interesting detail that half of its excellences are missed in the press of exciting happenings that carry the spectator irresistibly forward in the spell of the story.

In the demand for seats already evident, even though the box-office does not open until next Thursday morning, the majority of queries are from those who have seen the picture. Some of them have watched it twice or thrice—and still they are eager to see it again for the sake of some fleeting incident or detail of which they did not catch the full flavor. And, of course, there have been scores of the disappointed ones who couldn't get seats last fall, on the job early in order that they may not miss this last opportunity. For "The Birth of a Nation" is on its last tour. It is shortly to be permanently withdrawn from the screen.

"The Birth of a Nation" will be shown at the Majestic theater in every detail next week as it was shown last fall. The identical orchestra and crew to handle the enormous battery of effects is coming with the film. And it is worth noticing that the same regulations concerning seats will prevail. 'Phone orders will not be accepted, and mail reservations must be accompanied with remittances.

KEEP AFTER VILLA TEXT OF RESOLUTION PUT BEFORE HOUSE

WASHINGTON, April 17.—Representative McLamore of Texas Friday introduced a resolution in the house providing the American forces now in Mexico must not be withdrawn until Villa has been killed, captured or forced into exile.

McLemore came into prominence through his resolution to warn Americans off all belligerent merchant ships.

His resolution provides that the president be directed if it is deemed necessary to send reinforcements to Mexico, to issue a call for volunteers, or to accept any regiments of militia which may offer their services.

In the preamble, McLemore says, that Carranza has put obstacles in the way of the United States army and has thereby impeded capture of Villa.

FAMOUS ACTRESS' SON IS CHILD OF HER BETRAYER

CHICAGO, April 17.—The skeleton of the past had recorded his testimony in the separate maintenance suit of Ralph Modjeska, civil engineer, son of the late Mme. Helene Modjeska, famous actress, and Mrs. Felicie Modjeska.

A letter, written to Mrs. Modjeska's son, Felix of Los Angeles (grandson of the famous actress) revealed that the actress, while a child in Poland, had been betrayed by her tutor and that Ralph, the engineer, was the son of her betrayer.

The name Modjeska, the letter said, was fictitious. The letter was introduced in court by Modjeska herself.

UTILIZE VACANT LOTS

BERLIN, April 17.—Vacant lots in Berlin and other German cities are suddenly springing into life as vegetable gardens. Because of the food shortage lot owners throughout the empire are sowing seeds this spring.

WORK STARTED ON DAM SYSTEM FOR FLOOD PREVENTION

DALTON, Ohio, April 17.—Construction work was under way today on the great engineering project for flood prevention in the Miami valley to prevent a repetition of the disastrous floods of 1913 which caused millions of dollars' damage and claimed several hundred lives.

Five mammoth detention basins, large enough to hold back the crest of a flood forty per cent greater than the devastating flood of three years ago, are being erected. The cost of materials will be about $24,000,000.

There will be five large dams at crucial points. The highest, at Englewood, will rise 120 feet about the surrounding country; the lowest will be 65 feet high, and all 25 feet across at the top.

Towns between Piqua and Hamilton, a distance of 100 miles, will be protected when the project is completed.

The plan of the flood prevention system is to let the rivers carry off water at their maximum capacity without doing damage. The retention basins are to take up excess water and then serve as feeders, allowing the run of a heavy rain to be distributed over several weeks instead of several days. The latter uncontrolled action is what caused so much damage in 1913.

It is expected that the work will be completed in three years. Enough steel will be used to build a 175 story skyscraper, enough concrete to build a column ten feet square and thirteen miles high, excavation enough for more than 3,000 miles of trenches, and enough embankment to fill a train of cars reaching from New York to San Francisco.

SPOTLIGHTS

HARRY LAUDER

Harry Lauder, the fascinating and inexplicable Scotch coal miner, the Abou Ben Adham of box-office "names," when he arrives in La Crosse tomorrow (Tuesday) morning, will step out of the "Mayflower," the palatial private car provided for him by his manager, William Morris, which for four years was the travelling abode of William H. Taft, while president of the United States. Lauder first saw the interior of the "Mayflower" as the guest of Mr. Taft, who, while still president, but after the election of Woodrow Wilson, made his last presidential journey from Washington to Augusta, Ga.

The next morning in Augusta, Mr. Taft and Lauder shared honors as the guests of the city, being driven in the same automobile from the depot to the Georgia Country club, where they played a match at golf. President Taft, it will be remembered, rather fancied himself on the links, but Lauder had the advantage of heredity native to the game, and since it is not regarded as lese majeste in the land of the free to give the president a "trimming" at his own game, the Scotchman promptly proceeded to make our heavyweight president like it.

"HOODOO ANN"

Would you hang a man on circumstantial evidence? is the question in "Hoodoo Ann." A woman said five words, and came close to death when her husband disappeared. The play is really the tale of a modern Cinderella and in it Mae Marsh gets a chance to do things that have made her loved by theatergoers all over the world.

This feature is at the Majestic today, Tuesday and Wednesday.

BEST FOR LIVER, BOWELS, STOMACH, HEADACHE, COLDS

They liven the liver and bowels and straighten you right up

Don't be bilious, constipated, sick, with breath bad and stomach sour.

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HIGH SCHOOL GIRLS DECLAME AT TOMAH

Winners Will Contest at La Crosse; Mock Trial to Be Given for Benefit of Annual

TOMAH, Wis., April 1.6—(Special.)—The girls of the high school will hold a declamatory contest at the high school Tuesday evening, April 18. The following is the program:

Music—Girls' Glee club.
Lion and the Mouse—Winnifred E. Blackwood.
The Man in the Shadow—Florence Drowatzky.
Home, Sweet Home—Lydia Hendricks.
Kerchunck—Myrtle Gleason.
Music—Florence Drowatzy.
The Christmas Substitute—Laura Fox.
The Death Disk—Vera Sands.
The Elephant Child—Agnes Robertson.
Music—Double Quartette.
Decision of the judges.

The two winners will go to La Crosse on May 5th.

The judges for the contest will be Messrs. T. Donovan, W. R. McCaul, J. G. Graham, Mrs. Hart and Mrs. C. Seecker.

Mock Trial

On Tuesday evening, April 25th, a "mock trial" will be given for the benefit of the 1916 annual. Attorney W. B. Naylor will be the judge, and the others taking part will be:

Defendant, Paul Rose; plaintiff, Earl Tower; attorney for the defendant, Ed. O'Brien; attorney for the state, John Warren; clerk of the court, Forest Hoisington; county clerk, Stanley Butts; clerk, Harry Baumgarten; sheriff, Neil Van Loon; witnesses, Earl Maddon, Raymond Reinhold, Albert Boyson.

Tomah at University

Tomah is well represented at the University of Wisconsin this year, having sixteen enrolled there. They are:

Course of Commerce—Fred Kress, Earl Drowatzky, Bernard Drowatzky, Will Earle, Wilbert Hendricks, Will Nuzum; Law—Arthur Jones; Agriculture—Ben Griswold, Kenneth Kelly; Letters and Science—Robert Graewin, Gordon Smith, Florence Hamilton (also surgery), Irene Eldridge, Mrs. Marion Simonson, Vera Naylor, Robert Murray. Agnes Murray is enrolled in the 4C Business college, and Doris Simonson is completing her course in the Wisconsin high school.

Time by Wireless

Hoag brothers, the cash store jewelers, are now getting the time daily from the Washington observatory by wireless. They are receiving it by means of an aerial which they have put up on the cash store, connecting with Wm. Auch's wireless receiving station at the Sherman House.

Local and Personal

Dr. H. B. Johnson spent the latter part of the week in Waukesha with Mrs. Johnson, who is in the sanitarium there. Mrs. Johnson expects to return home for Easter Sunday.

Mrs. Faucett, who has spent the winter here with her son, M. Faucett, has gone to Taylor, S. D., to visit her daughter.

Miss Linehan, the nurse, is caring for Mrs. A. L. Butts, who is ill at her home.

Mrs. Mann who has spent the winter with her sister, Mrs. Geo. Warren, has returned to her home in Boone, Iowa. Mrs. W. W. Warren accompanied her as far as Clinton, Iowa.

A. M. Brayton, La Crosse, spent the week-end in Tomah, accompanying A. A. Fix and W. L. Howes on a fishing trip to Millston.

Mr. and Mrs. Phil Bennett and family of Lancaster are moving their household goods into the Watson Earle home. Their many friends will welcome them back to Tomah.

Willis Benjamin and family have moved back to Tomah from Hillsboro, where Mr. Benjamin has conducted a hotel for the past year.

Miss Lyla Bates is ill at her home.

Sergeant Wood, who is now stationed at Reedsburg, was an over Sunday visitor in Tomah.

Robert Benson of Warrens, who is attending high school, is ill at the home of Mrs. Emma Talbot. Mrs. Benson is here to assist in caring for him.

Mrs. Charles Shannon and Mrs. Ed. Yackel have gone to Westby for a few days with Mrs. Shannon's parents and to get little Dick Shannon, who has been visiting his grandparents.

Mrs. A. A. Fix spent the week-end in La Crosse, the guests of Mrs. A. M. Brayton. Miss Inez Brayton returned home with her for a brief visit.

Miss Eleanor Voswinkle, who is teaching in Minneapolis is home for the Easter vacation.

Miss Hazel Gilson is spending her spring vacation at her home.

Miss Katherine Howes who is teaching in La Crosse, is home for the spring vacation.

M. Syverson is taking a vacation from his duties as postmaster.

Miss Frieda Enckhausen of Sparta is the guest of Mrs. A. A. Fix.

Miss Vera Skinner of Mauston, spent Sunday at her home.

Miss Marion Van Wie entertained twelve of her little friends at her home on Friday afternoon. It was an Easter party, the decorations, place cards, and souvenirs were all symbolic of Easter. In the center of the table was a large nest filled with gayly painted Easter eggs, which each child drew by pulling a ribbon tied to a tiny chick at each place. Bright colored Easter baskets filled with tiny candy eggs and a little chicken on the top also marked the places. A pyramid cake was decorated with tiny candy bunnies and eggs.

Courtship is a game in which a girl plays her heart against a man's diamond.

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SEEK GASOLINE INDICTMENTS

WASHINGTON, April 17.—Department of justice officials, it was reported today, are seeking evidence in the gasoline probe that it might justify them in asking a grand jury to return criminal indictments.

What to Do to Get Fat and Increase Weight.

The Real Cause of Thinness

Most people eat from four to six pounds of good solid fat-making food every day and still do not increase in weight one ounce, while on the other hand many of the plump, chunky folks eat very lightly and keep gaining all the time. It's all bosh to say that this is the nature of the individual. It isn't Nature's way at all.

Most thin people stay thin because their powers of assimilation are defective. They absorb just enough of the food they eat to maintain life and a semblance of health and strength. Stuffing won't help them. A dozen meals a day won't make them gain a single "stay there" pound. All the fat-producing elements of their food just stay there in the intestines until they pass from the body as waste. What such people need is something that will prepare these fatty food elements so that their blood can absorb them and deposit them all about the body—something, too, that will multiply their red blood corpuscles and increase their blood's carrying power.

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LIGHTNING BOLT STARTS $30,000 FIRE AT LYNDON

General Store, Garage and Ice House Burns to the Ground at Midnight Saturday

LYNDON, Wis., April 17.—(Special.)—Fire which was commenced by a bolt of lightning in the electrical storm of Saturday night caused a fire which totally destroyed the Laab general store, the village garage, ice house and several barns in the vicinity. The bolt struck at about midnight. Almost he entire population turned out to fight the flames. Several automobiles were taken from the garage and some merchandise was carried from the store, although none of the buildings were saved.

SMOKE OVERCOMES SIX

BINGHAMTON, N. Y., April 17.—Six persons were overcome by smoke, two seriously affected that they may die, in a fire which did $60,000 damage in a row of four story business and tenement buildings here Saturday.

The most seriously injured are E. Ray Blatchley and Mrs. Minnie Clark.

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Total	247,176
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Total Average Circulation	9,246

I, Frank H. Burgess, business manager of the La Crosse Tribune, do solemnly swear that the actual number of copies of the paper named, printed and circulated during the month of March, 1916, was as above stated.

Frank H. Burgess

Subscribed and sworn to before me this first day of April, 1916.

James Thompson

Notary Public.

WEATHER
U. S. Weather Bureau

Sunrise tomorrow, 5:16 a. m.
Sunset tomorrow, 6:52 p. m.

Temperatures Saturday
High, 49; Low, 41; Precipitation, .25.

Forecasts

For Wisconsin: Fair tonight and Tuesday, probably becoming unsettled west portion Tuesday. Not much change in temperature.

For Minnesota: Fair tonight; warmer west portion. Tuesday unsettled; probably showers south and west portions.

For Iowa: Fair east, probably showers and warmer west and central portions tonight. Tuesday showers.

Weather Conditions

The storm in the northwest Saturday passed over this section Sunday attended by showers, and is central this morning over eastern lake Superior. The weather is generally fair this morning, except in the northern Michigan where snow and rain are falling.

The temperature changes have been generally small and are above the seasonal normal in the Atlantic and northwestern states and upper Mississippi valley.

The pressure is highest from the northern Plains states to the Gulf coast and a second low is central in British Columbia.

These pressure conditions indicate fair weather in this section for tonight and unsettled weather Tuesday with probable showers late afternoon or night. The temperature will not change materially.

DAILY RIVER BULLETIN

Stations	Flood stage	Height	Change
St. Paul	14	13.6	—0.2
Red Wing	14	10.9	—0.1
La Crosse	12	12.1	0.0
Lansing	18	14.3	—0.3
Prairie du Chien	18	15.3	—0.4
Dubuque	18	17.3	
Davenport	15	14.4	
New Orleans	18	15.6	

River Forecast

St. Paul to La Crosse: The river will fall slowly during the week.

The Searchlight

AN AUTO MOVIE SHOW

A device has been patented by the use of which an automobile can be made to run a moving picture show, supplying both power and the necessary light. A belt running from the shaft carrier the power to the picture machine. The auto is jacked up sufficiently to let the wheels spin free. Movies are becoming increasingly used for educational lectures of various kinds in all parts of the country. One of the drawbacks in rural communities has been the difficulty of securing light. By the use of the new invention, several audiences may be reached by an illustrated lecture in a single evening.

BOY BANDIT ABROAD

ST. PAUL, Minn., April 17.—A boy bandit is loose in St. Paul, police admitted today. A street car and several stores have been robbed.

DAILY NEWS THAT BEGGARS FICTION

"Interesting, but not true to life" is the popular verdict passed upon many stories.

We'll hazard the statement that there is in the aggregate more romance and adventure, more plot and counter-plot in a year's run of the daily papers than there is in that year's fiction—novels, plays and short stories combined.

It is first class romance and adventure, too—red blooded and vivid. The daily routine of the New York and Chicago police unearths plots for Gaboriau and treats them as minutiae. "The Spoilers" was a true story, a first class newspaper yarn, had Alaska boasted a free press to tell the tale. Harry Hayward furnished a horror mystery in which "Bob" Irwin's speech for the defense was the only fiction. How is the "Ballinger case" for an industrial empire plot? or Roosevelt's vaudeville revolution in Panama for a new chapter to "Cabbages and Kings"? Who was that New York newsboy who lost his identity following injury received in a hold-up and was discovered by his wife in Seattle fifteen years later, head of a new family, to be restored by an operation to remembrance of his first wife and child? "The Right of Way" was built around a similar case of aphasia. Enoch Ardens come home every day. Ignatius Donnelly was not "true to life" when he pictured the flying machines of 2000 A. D., yet we've beat him to it by eighty-four years. Romance, tragedy, adventure — thousands of thrilling stories every hour in the European war. And there are John Brown and Pancho Villa. "Wuxtra, Wuxtra! All about the—" Oh, it's endless, endless! — this world's whirl of thrillers lived by pulsing, breathing people. The "stories" are tame enough. It's the daily news that most often seems "not true to life".

LOOK OUT FOR THE HARBOR MONOPOLY

Two packet lines agree to lease the proposed riverside warehouse from the city at an annual rental of ten per cent of its cost. It is a good proposition, apparently, but the city will make a serious mistake if it fail to safeguard the depot against possible monopoly. Just now there are but the two lines in the field, but there is a promise of others within a few years. La Crosse will be in a bad position if it permits its harbor facilities to go beyond its own control. Provision should be made by which transient vessels, as well as any regular packet line, may use the building on payment of the proper fee. With certain boats seeking a monopoly of this service a situation similar to that which developed at the North La Crosse viaduct is created. No doubt the aldermen will prove as far-seeing in the present as in the former instance.

THE DESTINY OF HENRY FORD

Henry Ford's confession that he has voted but once in twenty years is enough to make his presidential aspirations, if he has any, die a-borning. However, Mr. Ford merely places himself in the category with many other citizens who have been so absorbed with a big idea that the affairs of the nation seemed small in comparison. Although his pre-occupation is no more than a mitigating circumstance, Henry Ford's services to his country are well above the average, and we have for him a better ambition than the presidency—the pursuit of that "impractical" altruism that would be "weakness" in a chief executive, but which is most becoming to a Christian gentleman in private life.

THE ELOQUENCE OF "PEP"

We must thank the genius of slang for the word that best epitomizes the American character. It is "pep"—can you beat it?

Take enthusiasm, activity, daring, alertness, resource. Throw them in the melting pot, add equal parts of humor and fellowship, stir well and you have "pep".

Perhaps the word was coined for the benefit of "Ty" Cobb and "Tris" Speaker, but they enjoy no monopoly of its pat application. We have "pep" in our work as well as our play—in school, in college, in industry, in commerce, in the professions—yes, we are beginning to have "pep" in the churches.

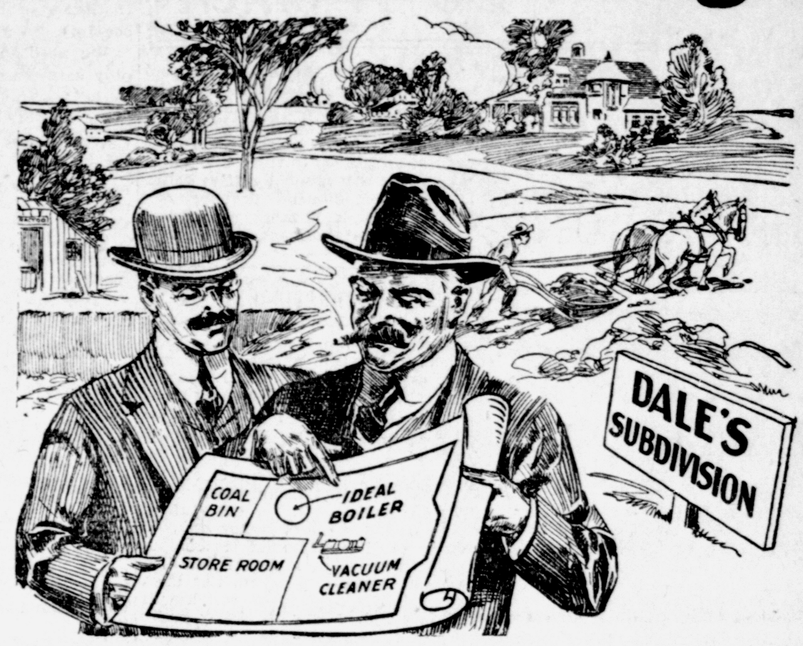
Europe laughs at our "pep". There, enthusiasm means lack of balance. It does not accord with calculating system. In a way it is vealy and amateurish. But we'll take the joy of our "pep", run our haphazard career with a chip on our shoulder and no shot in the locker, and call it good.

By the way, can you beat "zowie!" for what you mean when a six-foot man lams a fast one on the nose and sends a lal-la palouser against the Bull Durham sign? Say, bo, take the info from us that language isn't in the same class with slang.

One finds a familiar note in the "Mexican war" dispatches from El Paso. The jubilant optimism and carefree imagination remind one of an exuberance out of the misty past. Could it—could it have been Petrograd?

Investment heating!

"Well bought is half sold" runs the old maxim. Of course every man buys with uppermost thought of a *permanent* home, but the prudent man buys his home also with an eye to its being a "good investment, if he or his heirs should want to sell." The lot is bought and the house built in the belief that the property will increase in value. Why therefore should anyone nowadays discount or depreciate his property by failing to modernize it at once with a *permanent, comfort-producing* outfit of



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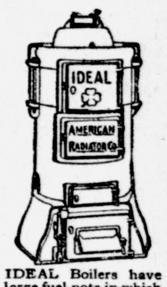

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THE TRIBUNE'S DAILY
TRAVELETTE
(By Niksah)

CANTON

Canton has been called the most Chinese of the cities of China. Certainly it bears out to perfection the wide-spread impression that China is an overcrowded, mysterious hive. Canton is so packed with humanity that it seems continually about to burst under the pressure of its own birthrate. Here are the narrow humming streets, the hostile crowds of inscrutable yellow faces, the strange wares and stranger foods, the river boats where men are born and live and die, the scenes of torture and execution—all that stands in many minds for China.

There is a solidity, an assurance, a self-satisfaction about Canton that broadens the western mind and suggests the dictum of a famous Chinese savant. Certain Englishmen were urging the sage to support the introduction of occidental institutions. The Chinaman smiled. "We are interested in your European methods," he said. "We regard them as an experiment worth watching. But we wonder where you will all be in 500 years." That is China. She is interested in other people, but in spite of revolutions and bandits, in spite of foreign encroachments and foreign bullying, she is sure of herself. Nations come and go, but China remains.

Canton gives the impression that she has been where she is since the birth of time. You are borne on a palanquin through streets seven feet wide, where the passing feet of countless multitudes have polished the pavements to the smoothness of glass. The little shops on either side are crowded with all the wares of Asia.

After immutable permanence, Canton suggests enormous wealth. You see the crowded shelves, the high piled booths, and you know that this is only the overflow from huge ware-houses and go-downs. Canton is the great market of the East, and her people are not losing any money at it, either. The Chinaman is a business man from start to finish.

Impressionable people generally dream about Canton after visiting it. The ways are such a labyrinth, the foreigner has such a feeling of helplessness in his ignorance of the language and the points of the compass, the close-pressed life looks out of such alien and hostile eyes that it is no wonder. A dream wherein you are lost in Canton has all the qualities of a first-class nightmare.

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Quips and Cranks and Wanton Wiles

The Jail

"I am going to visit the jail. There is a man I want to see there."

"Is one all? I know about forty whom I should like to see there."

Quite Appropriate

"I have a good stabbing story."

"Then we'll illustrate it with plenty of cuts."

Paw Knows Everything

Willie—Paw, what is faith?

Paw—Faith is the ability to believe things we suspect are not true, my son.

Phew!

Officer (to applicant for aeronautical corps)—Do you know anything about flying machines?

Young Aviator—Yes, sir, I was raised on them.

Sympathy

Mrs. Grantly, a regular customer of one of the flower women in a London suburb, announced while passing one morning:

"I am going to give you an unusually large order for flowers next week for my daughter's coming out."

"Yis, mum. I shall see that you 'ave the very best for 'er, poor dear. Wot were she put in for?"—Harper's Monthly.

Brightening the House

"How is the baby?" inquired the neighbor of the new father?

"Fine," said the proud parent.

"Don't you find that a baby brightens up a household wonderfully?" pursued the friend.

"Yes," said the parent, with a sigh. "We have the gas going most of the night now."

Long-Headed

"The cook wants to borrow something from the library. Shall I let her have it?"

"Certainly. If she gets interested in a story she may stay until she finishes it. Give her one of those English novels in four volumes."

SUFFRAGE WORKS TO HAVE POLITICAL MEET AT CHICAGO

WASHINGTON, April 17.—Congressional Union members announced Saturday that they have thrown their hats in the ring (their old winter ones, not their new Easter creations of course), and, with the formal issuance of 100,000 calls to their June meeting in Chicago were well on their way to a regular political convention.

The convention of the women workers for suffrage is to be held June 5, 6 and 7—the same days as the progressive and republican meetings.

LETS ARMED SHIP CLEAR

WASHINGTON, April 17.—The state department Saturday gave permission for the French steamer Radioline, with guns aboard, to sail from New Orleans. The customs collector there was notified to clear the chip. The French embassy gave assurances that the guns were only for defense.

THE WINNER

By William Winter.

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(Today's installment of The Winner will be found on Page Seven.)

FORMER CARROLL COLLEGE STUDENT BURNED AT STAKE

MILWAUKEE, Wis., April 17.—Dr. Joseph Shimon, a former student of Carroll college, Waukesha, Wis., has been burned at the stake in Persia, where he was doing missionary work, according to word received here from Philadelphia. After leaving Carroll, Shimon went to the Jefferson Medical college in Philadelphia. No date of his death was given in the word received. Friends in Philadelphia had received confirmation of his death from Persian authorities, it was stated. He was active in the Episcopal church.

VERSE and REVERSE

Preparedness

Look over your togs
And mend your waders;
Throw care to the dogs,
Ye trout stream invaders.

Rig anew your lightest tackle,
Tie another catchy hackle,
Inspect each leader with due care,
For experience has taught
That the big one can be caught
On tackle sound in good repair.

The glowing camp fire brightly burning,
Coffee, fragrant, trout just right,
Potatoes in jackets, out of sight.

Then your pipe and your dream
Of the beauties that gleam,
And waters that dance
In that cool and winding stream.

—E. J. K.

Of Interest To Women

News items of every character of interest to women welcome to space in this department. Write or phone Women's Editorial Staff,
Miss Alice Wheeler,
Miss Cora M. Bangsberg.
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Society

ISSUE INVITATIONS

Mr. and Mrs. Lucien Frederick Easton have issued invitations for the wedding reception of their daughter, Miss Louise Easton, and Mr. Alexander MacKenzie Thompson, Saturday evening, April the 29th.

BETHANY CENTER TOOTH BRUSH BRIGADE

Saturday night Dr. Esther Farrand gave another talk in the "Clean Your Teeth" campaign which has been carried on at Bethany Center the past five weeks. This was the last meting of the sort to be held at this time. The roller skates were also awarded Saturday night to the writers of the best papers on "Why We Need Toothbrushes." Little Paul Mutch, aged 6 years, wrote the best boy's paper, and Esther Schnick, a freshman in high school, won the skates for the best girl's paper.

There still remains another meeting, but of another sort. This will be some sort of reward for all those children who have lived up to the rules of the contest, and used their tooth brushes three times each day since the beginning of the campaign. Announcements will be made later of the nature of this meeting, but the winners are assured it will be something both interesting and enjoyable.

The children at the Saturday night meeting were given a special treat, when Mrs. Whelpley spent the evening with them, singing some charming children's songs, in some of which the children joined.

BIRTHDAY PARTY

Mrs. George H. Bretnal, 512 South Fourteenth street, entertained a party of little folks Saturday afternoon in honor of the sixth birthday of her young son, Curme. Easter novelties featured the decorations and a search for nests of eggs hidden about the house provided amusement for the children, following which stereopticon slides were shown for their entertainment. Those present were David Bridgham, Louise Bernhard, Alice and Sarah Sherwood, James Thomas, Warren Ruplin, Mary Roseman, William Melcher, Doris Schlutter, Clayton Whitney, Anton Dockendorf and Anne and Philip Weck.

PRIMARY PARTY

The children of the primary department of the Caledonia Street Methodist Sunday school, together with their parents, were entertained by the teachers at a delightful Easter party in the Sunday school rooms Saturday afternoon. In the neighborhood of fifty children were present, many of them accompanied by their parents, and the little ones were entertained during the early part of the afternoon by Miss Edith M. Boughton, normal kindergarten teacher, with a number of stories. Games and refreshments followed.

Announcements

Delightfully novel invitations have been issued to the pupils of the primary department of the First Methodist school for an Easter party to be given at the church parlors on Friday afternoon.

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The Young People's society of Our Savior's church, corner Sixth and Division street, will be entertained at the church parlors tomorrow evening by the Misses Louise Halvorson, Matilda Gilbertson and Emma Jevnlie. An excellent program has been arranged, the feature of which will be a talk by the Rev. J. Norby.

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The Ladies' Aid society of the First Methodist church will meet at the church parlors Thursday afternoon for their regular monthly business and social meeting. The hostesses will be the Mesdames Colby and Schall.

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A "White Sale" will be held by the ladies of the Tabernacle Baptist church at the church parlors tomorrow afternoon and evening. A supper will be served in connection with the sale, serving to begin at half-past five.

Social Briefs

Mr. and Mrs. Frank H. Burgess, 137 South Eleventh street, left for Davenport, Iowa, at noon today, where they were called by the death of Mrs. Burgess' aunt, Mrs. Frank Reed.

The Misses Annie and Mary Ford are in the city from Minneapolis to spend the Easter holidays with their parents, Mr. and Mrs. E. W. Ford, 121 North Thirteenth street.

Miss Hattie Jefferson returned last week from St. Petersburg, Fla., where she spent the winter.

Mrs. W. E. Sawyer and Mrs. Abby Burton are the guests of Mr. and Mrs. F. P. Underwood on a trip to Florida in their private car.

D. A. R. Opens National Congress

WASHINGTON, D. C., April 17.—The National D. A. R. Congress opens here today and will occupy the entire week. Some of the most prominent women in the country are here as delegates. Mrs. William Cumming Story, is presiding as president general. The Daughters are co-operating with the American Defense society, and will especially observe "preparedness night" on Wednesday, the anniversary of the battle of Lexington. Speeches by prominent men and women will feature the evening.

D. A. R. IN CONVENTION ASSEMBLED

Top, Mrs. William Cumming Story (left) and Mrs. J. C. Burroughs. Bottom, Mrs. Joseph E. Ransdell.

The Daughters of the American Revolution are holding their annual meeting in Washington, D. C., this week. Among the prominent figures in the society are Mrs. William Cumming Story of New York, president-general; Mrs. J. C. Burroughs, widow of former Senator Burroughs of Michigan, corresponding secretary-general, and Mrs. Joseph E. Ransdell, wife of Senator Ransdell of Louisiana, treasurer-general. The organization has a membership of about 116,000.

Reducing The High Cost Of Living

V. Side Lights

Written for the TRIBUNE by Nellie Maxwell, Department of Farmers' Institutes of the University of Wisconsin.)

We need to consider in our economy campaigns that it is quite easy to be "penny wise and pound foolish".

When eggs are scarce and high, to use in a bread pudding several eggs with milk, sugar, spices and raisins, to save a half a loaf of bread, does not seem entirely wise.

The virtuous feeling of having been saving must be carefully analyzed to see if we really have been economical. This same bread, sliced and spread with butter, might be covered with fresh or canned rhubarb and baked, making a most wholesome dessert and one with little expense, as it is taken for granted that all country people, at any rate, grow their own rhubarb and can the surplus.

There is another fallacy called economy which consists of "using everything up" when the using really means a larger expenditure and smaller returns. There is no economy in using 15 cents worth of ingredients to save 3 cents worth of bread or other left-overs unless it be a combination especially well liked.

The canning of fruits and vegetables for use when they are high in price is one of economy, always providing they may be raised at home or purchased at small cost. During the season on many farms much of good food goes to waste which might easily be put away for winter consumption.

Soups of various kinds may be canned from vegetables that would otherwise be wasted. Swiss chard, and spinach, string beans and corn, tomatoes and peas, are all expensive to buy canned, but may be put up at little cost when the garden is abundant.

The common breakfast foods served from our tables are not economical. The farmer raises wheat which makes an ideal breakfast food. Soak over night, then cooked slowly all day, the grains are soft and thoroughly cooked. Served with rich milk without sugar there is no more wholesome food for growing children. Wheat, if bought in the market costs but three to four cents a pound and a pound will serve six to eight with a generous dish of tasty food.

Some cooks have no accurate sense of the amount of material to prepare for a given meal. Appetites vary little and this faculty is an important one to cultivate. In many households it is either a "feast or a famine" the latter worse for the family than the former of the two evils. There is no reason why there may not be plenty with something for the chance guest.

Such foods as are perishable and not able to be made over should never be served in such quantity that there are left-overs—rarebits, cream toast, oyster stew, and such dishes are examples.

In all well regulated families a certain amount of left-overs are accepted as a necessary evil, but even by the most skillful handling the same food becomes a weariness to the palate, and in any amount spoils before it can be used.

The conservative woman who, overworked and with no leisure for study or play, clings to her false standard of economy of time, energy, and materials,—she it is who raises, instead of lowers the cost of living.

Home Made Breakfast Food

Take three-fourths of a cup of flour, one and three-fourths of a cupful of graham flour, mix well, add water, half a teaspoon salt, and cook to the consistency of mush. Serve with cream and sugar.

From Music Halls To Mexican Border

CHICAGO—From the music halls of Paris to the Mexican border went Miss Marguerite Buckler when the big war broke out in Europe. After putting her ranch in shape and organizing her cow-boys into sure-shot protection of her cattle, and after an escapade in which she led her cowboys over the Mexican border after Villa raiders, she is coming to Chicago to make her American opera debut. Miss Buckler made good in Vienna and Paris, and was in her second season when she was interrupted by the war. She is an out-of-door girl, a sure shot, a skilled rider and an opera singer.

Easter Flowers Won't Be As Beautiful as Usual

PITTSBURGH, April 17.—The usual gorgeous Easter Sunday display of flowers will not be so beautiful as usual this year because Easter Sunday comes on April 23rd, too late for many of the blooms to show at their best, according to Parks, superintendent George W. Burke. Tulips, narcissi, hyacinths, cineria and other flowers are hard to keep so late. One warm day and night will cause them to wilt. There will be plenty of lilies, red cinderella amaryllis, cusarius and primrose he said.

Ambassador Is Son's Best Man

NEW YORK, April 17.—Ambassador Henry Morgenthau, who is home on leave of absence from his post in Constantinople, appears in a new role today when he will act as best man at the wedding of his son, Henry Morgenthau, Jr. The nuptials will take place at the home of the bride's parents. Miss Elinor Fatman, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Morris Fatman, is to be the bride of young Morgenthau. Rev. Dr. Stephen S. Wise will officiate, and the affair will be attended only by immediate relatives and close friends.

NORTH SIDE

GROCERIES START NEW ARRANGEMENT FOR FEWER HOURS

A new order of things exists on the north side today. The shorter hours arrangement for north side grocers went into effect when the stores opened for business this morning and hereafter patrons, as a north side clerk said today, "will kindly do their shopping early and have provisions for the next day."

The agreement received the almost unanimous sanction of north side grocers and no trouble is anticipated in holding to the arrangement.

FOUR CHURCHES JOIN FOR PASSION WEEK SERVICES

Uniting for Passion Week services, four north side churches, the Caledonia Street Methodist, the Second German Methodist, the North Presbyterian and Tabernacle Baptist, start tomorrow night a series of four evening services.

Rev. B. C. Brandenburg of the Second German Methodist church, will preach tomorrow evening at the Tabernacle church on "The Great Object of Christ's Coming Into This World." Rev. J. H. Benson, pastor of the Caledonia Street church, will have for his topic at the German Methodist church Wednesday evening, "Judas' Betrayal." "The Christian With Christ in Gethsemane" will be the sermon of Rev. Finch A. Clarke of the North Presbyterian church at the Caledonia street church Thursday evening, while Professor H. N. Sherwood of the normal school, acting pastor of the Tabernacle church, will speak on "The Cross" at the North Presbyterian church.

FAMOUS MADISON BUILDINGS DOOMED

MADISON, Wis., April 17.—(Special.)—Two new office buildings are to be erected here by Pi er brothers. They have purchased he old Madison hotel, erected before the civil war, and owned by the late millionaire, F. A. Ogden and will erect a modern office building on the site. Recently Pipers bought the old Fair store block, the deed to which was once owned by Daniel Webster, and will also be razed and a modern business block will take its place. Both buildings are on the capitol square.

SPARTAN TAKES HOSPITAL CONTROL

MADISON, Wis., April 17.—(Special.)—H. K. Thurston, formerly of Sparta, but for the past three years connected with the state board of control, has been appointed as manager for the Madison General hospital. Thurston was educated at Beloit college and at the university. He succeeds Curtis Livingston, who leaves May 1 for Chicago, where he has accepted the position as credit manager for the ingersoll Watch company.

RE-OPEN RATES CASE

WASHINGTON, April 17.—The interstate commerce commission on Saturday opened for further argument the case of the corporation commission of Virginia against the Chesapeake & Ohio and other railroads complaining that rates from Virginia cities to North Carolina points are discriminatory.

HER HOME NO LONGER CHILDLESS

Operation not Necessary after Taking the Great Medicine for Women.

Miller's Falls, Mass.—"Doctors said I had displacement very badly and I would have to have an operation. I had a soreness in both sides and a pulling sensation in my right side. I could not do much work the pain was so bad. I was also troubled with irregularity and other weaknesses. My blood was poor. We had been married four years and had no children.

After using Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound and Blood Purifier I became well and strong and was saved from the operation. We are now the parents of a big baby girl and I praise your remedies to others and give you permission to publish my letter."—Mrs. JOSEPH GUILBAULT, JR., Bridge Street, Miller's Falls, Mass.

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MORE STRENGTH FOR FEEBLE OLD PEOPLE

If all the old people in La Crosse realized what Vinol will do for them, we would not be able to get enough of it to supply the demand. We quote from a recent letter received from Mrs. A. E. Carson of Kingston, N. Y.

She says:—"I am 69 years of age, and had been ailing for a long time with indigestion. I got rundown, was weak, dizzy and could not sleep at night. I consulted two doctors who said I had hardening of the arteries and at my age could not expect to be strong again. My daughter would give me no peace until I tried Vinol, as it had done so much for her. I have taken five bottles and my health and strength have come back, so I am able to do all the housework for my family of four, and I am recommending Vinol to all my friends."

The reason Vinol is so beneficial to old people is because it contains the very elements needed to replace declining strength with renewed vigor, viz.: the medicinal elements of fresh cod livers without oil, peptonate of iron, beef peptone, and a mild tonic wine. Hoeschler Bros., Druggists, La Crosse, Wisconsin.

NEW TYPE ROOF WILL SHELTER NEW TRIBUNE BUILDING

A "Certainteed" Type "B" construction roof is being laid on the new TRIBUNE addition and main building. The work is in charge of J. R. Pflueger, who is working in cooperation with the contractor, Peter Nelson. The La Crosse Steel Roofing and Corrugating company is in charge of the actual work.

A. N. McDole and Henry von Phul, factory representatives, are also in the city in connection with the work.

This is a distinctly new type of roof in La Crosse, and its application is being watched with interest by builders and contractors.

CHICAGO TRUST FIRM PROTESTS "BLUE SKY" LAW

MADISON, Wis., April 17. — The Insurance Trust company, Chicago, on Saturday filed an application for injunction with the federal court here against the state railroad commission to restrain the commission from enforcement of the "blue sky" law, in particular the provision compelling corporations and persons selling stocks and bonds to file a statement with the commission showing methods of procedure and qualifications.

HIT FIGHT FILMS

WASHINGTON, April 17.—Customs men Friday decided the Johnson-Willard fight films were brought into the United States. They ordered Collector Malone at New York to seize them. U. S. Attorney Marshall will contend that even if they were only photographed over the line they were technically brought into the country.

REPORT CONTEMPT

WASHINGTON, April 17.—The Moon select committee Friday reported to the house that H. Snowden Marshall, United States district attorney at New York, was guilty of contempt in a letter he wrote March 4 to the Carlin subway committee, named to investigate impeachment charges preferred against him by Representative Buchanan, Illinois.

COUNCIL MEMBER DEAD

RACINE, Wis., April 17.—Fred A. Frederickson, a painting contractor and member of the city council, died Saturday, aged 56 years

North Side Briefs

O'Neil Shoe Store. Easter styles.

Hugh Donwey, Madison, is the guest of north side relatives and friends.

James Anderson, Holmen, has returned after visiting north side relatives and friends.

Mrs. R. D. Harris, 1344 Avon street, left last night for Philadelphia, called there by the illness of her father.

August Anderson, Rushford, spent Sunday on the north side.

Barron Berg, Seattle, who has been visiting north side relatives and friends, has left for a visit in Chicago.

Mr. Gardiner, Winona, is visiting at the home of his brother, Guy Gardiner, 1529 Kane street.

William Lumley, 1223 Charles street, has returned from a visit in Montana.

Thorwald Casperson, 1503 Loomis street, who has been ill at the Lutheran hospital, is again able to be about.

Miss Leona Thrune has returned to her home, 1832 Kane street, after visiting friends and relatives in Winona.

Miss Julia Daily of Tomah is spending a few days visiting relatives and friends on the north side.

George Kastlin has returned to his home, 1506 Loomis street, after spending a few days in Sparta.

Miss Esther Lange, Sparta, is spending a few days visiting friends and relatives on the north side.

James Mullen, Sr., 1713 Loomis street, is visiting friends and relatives in Minneapolis.

Mrs. Peter Moe, who has been confined to the Lutheran hospital with illness, has been removed to her home, 1822 Wood street.

Mrs. Charles Mullen, 1603 Loomis street, is visiting friends and relatives in Minneapolis.

William Coady, Sand Lake Coulee, is spending a few days visiting relatives and friends on the north side.

Miss Mary Kerrigan, 528 Mill street, is visiting friends and relatives in Wilton Wis.

FIX CANNING RULES

MADISON, Wis., April 17.—(Special.)—The Industrial commission within the next two weeks will announce the new rules under which pea canning factories of Wisconsin will be permitted to employ women during the 1916 season. A public hearing will be held.

WIRES KEPT SECRET

JUAREZ, Mexico, April 17.—American Consul Thomas D. Edwards received six code messages from Consul Letcher at Chihuahua. Edwards forwarded the telegrams to Washington, refusing to disclose their contents.

Railway offices here were notified of the safe arrival at Chihuahua of a provision train for the United States forces.

WEATHER BULLETIN

Stations	(Lo.)	(Hi.)	(P.)
Boston	46	62	0
Charleston	62	68	0
New York	46	58	0
Washington	54	70	0
Galveston	68	78	0
Jacksonville	64	74	0
New Orleans	60	78	1.02
Chicago	44	62	.06
La Crosse	41	49	.25
Madison	40	58	.04
Memphis	56	76	0
Milwaukee	42	56	.14
Bismarck	26	56	0
Huron	30	58	0
Kansas City	50	64	0
St. Paul	40	..	.50
Boise	52	66	0
Denver	38	60	0
Helena	36	56	0
Miles City	28	..	0
Portland, Ore.	44	64	.16
Spokane	44	62	.01
Medicine Hat	26	58	0

"FISHING GREAT" SAYS CRASSER WHO GOT THE LIMIT

"We went the limit and I claim it was some fishing," was the way Captain Hugo Crasser of the government boat Curley spoke of his trout fishing trip to La Moille. "The streams were crowded with creelers, but they all seemed to get their fill."

Trout men returning today brought tales of great fishing from other trout neighborhoods. High water has not seemed to affect the inland streams.

Start Tomorrow and Keep It Up Every Morning

Get in the habit of drinking a glass of hot water before breakfast.

We're not here long, so let's make our stay agreeable. Let us live well, eat well, digest well, work well, sleep well, and look well. What a glorious condition to attain, and yet, how very easy it is if one will only adopt the morning inside bath.

Folks who are accustomed to feel dull and heavy when they arise, splitting headache, stuffy from a cold, foul tongue, nasty breath, acid stomach, can, instead, feel as fresh as a daisy by opening the sluices of the system each morning and flushing out the whole of the internal poisonous stagnant matter.

Everyone, whether ailing, sick or well, should, each morning, before breakfast, drink a glass of real hot water with a teaspoonful of limestone phosphate in it to wash from the stomach, liver and bowels the previous day's indigestible waste, sour bile and poisonous toxins; thus cleansing, sweetening and purifying the entire alimentary canal before putting more food into the stomach. The action of hot water and limestone phosphate on an empty stomach is wonderfully invigorating. It cleans out all the sour fermentations, gases, waste and acidity and gives one a splendid appetite for breakfast. While you are enjoying your breakfast the water and phosphate is quietly extracting a large volume of water from the blood and getting ready for a thorough flushing of all the inside organs.

The millions of people who are bothered with constipation, bilious spells, stomach trouble; others who have sallow skins, blood disorders and sickly complexions are urged to get a quarter pound of limestone phosphate from the drug store. This will cost very litle, but is sufficient to make anyone a pronounced crank on the subject of inside-bathing before breakfast.

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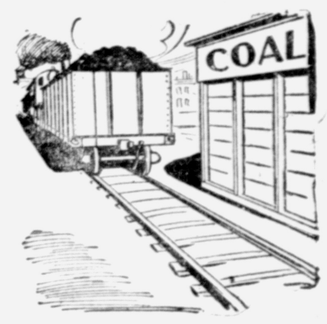

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OLD RESIDENT IS FORCED FROM HOME BY CITY PROCEDURE

MINNEAPOLIS, Minn., April 17.—Routed from her home of 38 years, in which she had reared ten children, Mrs Catherine Pierre today moved her household goods to a strip of ground in the rear of her former residence and defied authorities to move her further. City authorities, under condemnation proceedings, forced her out despite physical resistance.

ESCAPES ON SHEETS-ROPE

MINNEAPOLIS, April 17.—Sliding down a rope made of sheets, Carl Swenson, held in a fifth story cell at the city jail, charged with murder of Godfrey Carlson, escaped, police admitted today.

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PERSONALS

B. A. Yeomen meeting, dance Tues. Card party 2:30. Eight prizes.

Armand Tuteur, University of Wisconsin student returns tomorrow to Madison, after spending the spring recess at the home of his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Morris Tuteur, 205 South Ninth street.

Mrs. J. H. Murphy has returned to her home in Wabasha, after a visit with friends and relatives in La Crosse.

Phone Gateway City Transfer Co. for your next hack call. Phone 179.

Hugo Crasser, superintendent of the government fish hatchery here, has returned from a fishing trip to La Moille.

H. W. Whitmore and wife, Savanna, Ill., were visitors in La Crosse today.

Mrs. F. M. Hart, Tomah, spent the morning visiting friends in La Crosse.

W. C. Sampson, Wausau, Wis., returned to his home today after spending Sunday in La Crosse.

J. E. Moquin, Fond du Lac, Wis., was a visitor at a local hotel yesterday.

M. F. Smith and wife, Dubuque, Iowa, was a visitor in the city yesterday.

C. W. Graves, Viroqua, was a Sunday visitor in La Crosse.

S. F. Westcoot, Madison, was a business visitor here this morning.

B. M. Gotshall, Clinton, Ia., spent yesterday visiting friends and relatives in La Crosse.

Otin Larson, Viroqua, was a visitor in the city yesterday.

A. M. Locken, Winona, Minn., visited friends here yesterday.

P. Schuler, Tomah, spent yesterday visiting friends and relatives in the city.

CITY NEWS TICKER

Give Up Recruiting Here

The United States army recruiting office, organized about three months ago, was closed Saturday night by order of the recruiting officer in charge of the Minneapolis station, who has charge of all smaller recruiting offices in this vicinity. It is understood that expenses were too steep for the number of army recruits obtained.

GERMAN ARTILLERY KEEPS UP ASSAULT INFANTRY QUIET

PARIS, April 17.—German artillery directed a violent cannonade against French positions on the west bank of the Meuse last night, but there were no important infantry fights on the Verdun front, the war office reported today.

The bombardment was particularly violent in Avocourt wood, where the Germans have been shelling the French works heavily since Saturday morning on Dead Man's Hill and in Cumieres wood.

The French did not return to the attack on the east bank of the Meuse where a sudden charge Saturday night resulted in the capture of German trench positions south of Douaumont with 200 prisoners.

"Quiet" Says Berlin

BERLIN, April 17.—The lull in the Verdun fighting continued last night. The war office announced this afternoon that nothing of importance has occurred on the entire west front. On the east front, the Russians were active around the Dvinsk bridge-head.

"Near Pervyse, German anti-aircraft guns shot down a Belgian aeroplane which fell behind the Belgian front," said the official statement. "German artillery fire destroyed another aeroplane.

"Northwest of Peronne, Lieut. Berthold shot down a British biplane, killing the pilot and seriously wounding the observer. This was the fifth aeroplane shot down by Berthold."

BOMBS DROPPED ON DECK OF WARSHIP

PARIS, April 17.—A French aviator dropped sixteen bombs from an altitude of only 100 yards on the deck of a German warship in the North sea, the war office announced this afternoon.

The French plane flew so low that it is believed the bombardment had good effect.

Aviators were active last night on the Verdun front and east of the fortress, despite the heavy fog. French air squadrons bombarded the railway stations at Conflans, Pagny, Arneville and Rompach.

DAVIS' BODY CREMATED

PHILADELPHIA, April 17.—The body of Richard Harding Davis, author and war correspondent, was cremated on Friday at the Columbarium in Chelton Hills cemetery. There were no flowers or services.

FAMOUS BOOK AND PLAY IS FILMED

"The Trail of the Lonesome Pine," in which Charlotte Walker is to appear in her famous role of "June" at the Bijou tonight and Tuesday, is one of the most recent and best Lasky productions and is staged under the personal direction of Cecil B. DeMille, director general, who has maintained throughout the picture the wonderful atmosphere of the Cumberland mountains and the peculiar characteristics of the mountaineers of that remote region.

The story has to do with the love between the beautiful daughter of the leader of the illegal whiskey makers and a young revenue officer who has been sent to the mountains to secure the arrest of the father.

In the cast supporting Miss Walker are Theodore Rooberts, Thomas Meighan, Earl Fox, Park Jones and other members of the Lasky all-star company.

AGED RESIDENT OF MAUSTON DIES

MAUSTON, Wis., April 17.—(Special.)—John Smith, aged 93, one of the settlers of this vicinity, died at his home Friday. Grip was the cause. Funeral services will be held from the Catholic church here.

WATCH REPAIRING

Every watch that leaves our repair department must be a reliable timepiece.

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SEES THIRD PARTY FORMED OPPOSED TO PREPAREDNESS

NEW YORK, April 17.—Just returned from the west where he spoke in all of the larger cities against military preparedness Rabbi Stephen S. Wise, declared today that a well defined movement exists throughout the west to form a third party with "progressivism and anti-militarism" as a basis.

The presidential possibilities of this party are Henry Ford, Frank Walsh and Herbert Bigelow of Ohio, Wise said. Rudolph Spreckles of San Francisco is one of the larger financial influences back of the movement which may crystalize within the next few weeks, Dr. Wise said.

"I am convinced," he stated, "that a referendum vote would show the great majority of the people opposed to plunging the nation into the militant maelstrom."

HOUSE BUDGET IS NECESSITY FOR WHO WOULD SAVE

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your mind what means the most to you, and plan the rest of your income accordingly. If you think that education is the most esesntial thing in life and wish to have your children well educated, you may be able to take 3 per cent out of the luxuries column and 2 per cent off of operating expenses and add them on to education, increasing it to 11 per cent. On the other hand, if you find that your social or business status requires the wearing of good-looking clothes, you may be able to cut down your rent or food. In any case, it is the old-time process of robbing Peter to pay Paul, but don't make Peter the savings account.

When a family moves to another city, or even to a diferent neighborhood, it often requires a readjustment of the family budget. One family, including a man and his wife and three children, were living in a small western city on $200 a month. The cost of living was not as high as in cities of larger size, and their budget was divided into 17½ per cent for rent; 25 per cent for food; 10 per cent for operating expenses; 17 per cent for clothes, and 30½ per cent for education, amusement and savings.

Where to Put Auto?

Later, they moved to New York, where they altered their standard of living to 25 per cent for rent; 15 per cent for operating expenses, the same 25 per cent for food, which left only 35 per cent for clothes, education, luxuries and savings. It soon appeared that the majority of the 35 per cent was going for amusement and clothes, there being little left for education, and practically nothing to be saved. So the woman of the household again went over the family budget and decided to decrease the expenditure for clothes. The third adjustment provided 25 per cent for rent; 15 per cent operating expenses; 35 per cent for food and clothes, and 25 per cent for education, luxuries and saving.

Carfare is an item which has caused a good deal of discussion among household economists. It could hardly be included in the educational column, nor yet under amusement or operating expenses. It has finally been attached to the rent, since upon the location of your house depends the amount of carfare spent. Ten cents a day for six days a week for fifty-two weeks a year is $31.20 a year to be added to the rent of your house. Most families rarely spend less than a dollar a week for carfare. Hence, if you pay $25 a month or $300 a year for a house in the suburbs, with an additional expenditure of $52 for carfare, it would be just $8 cheaper than a house nearer your place of business at $30 a month, requiring no carfare. Thus in renting a house great attention should be given to the matter of location.

Sliced in Clothes

Out of the 20,255,555 families in this country, some five million own their own homes, Pennsylvania having the greatest number, Illinois next and the District of Columbia last of all. Besides these there is a large number of persons engaged in buying their own homes, which are mortgaged or incumbered. In this case, the interest on the mortgage, the taxes and the amount expended on repairs are counted as the rent, plus the annual interest on the money used in the building of the house if put into some other investment.

Some household economists maintain that the latter should not be included in the rent, since it represents savings and not income; that if you bought a chair for $15 you would not add to the cost price of the chair what the $15 would bring you if put out at interest.

So it is now the turn of the American family to figure out the whys and wherefores of petty finance and adopt the household budget. The thrifty housewives of Europe have long kept account of every single penny expended in the upkeep of their homes, so that Europe has been crowded with savings banks and consequently with capital. A nation is no stronger financially than its people. If the French people had not understood the value of thrift, France could never have calmly handed over her billion-dollar war indemnity in cold cash at the end of the Franco-Prussian war. You are helping your country prepare against war by preparing to save.

BANDITS TO HANG

BROWNSVILLE, Texas, April 15.—Melquiades Chapa and Jose Buenrostro, Mexican bandits convicted of killing A. L. Austin of Sebastian, Texas, in a raid August 6, 1915, today were sentenced to hang on May 19.

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The Smartest, Snappiest Hats you ever saw at this price.
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Museum of Daily Facts and Freaks

Sobirety Sign of Age

EAST ST. LOUIS, Ill.—"Been on a spree lately? No—then you're getting old." Professor Hoben of Chicago university says one is getting old when one loses desire for spree. Of course, all sprees are not alcoholic, but they count, too.

Girst Girl in 100 Years

ALBERT LEA, Minn.—Birth of a girl to Mr. and Mrs. Charles Stewart was the sign of family rejoicing ere. Familhy records show this is the first girl baby in the Stewart family in over 100 years.

Lists Babies for Taxation

CHICAGO.—Six children and fifty dollars worth of second-hand furniture were listed for taxation by A. L. Angelitch, who was greatly relieved when his "property" was exempted.

She Has Two Left

CHICAGO.—Mrs. Mary Rosenski was arrested here when her brother told police she had sold her two-year-old daughter for two dollars. Mrs. Rosenski has two other children, 4 and 7. They were hungry, she said.

Singer's Nymphs Expensive

NEW YORK—John McCormack paid $20,000 for the Corot "Nymphs Bathing" at an art sale here. John is a singer.

Mule is Upheld

FRANKFORT, Ky.—J. M. Pratt, who hit a mule with a whip and then stopped the heels of said mule, was denied damages for the kick, court holding he "courted injury."

Vassar Prefers Heels to Grass

POUGHKEEPSIE, N. Y.—Vassar girls refuse to forsake high heels in order to save the grass of the college lawns and outdoor theater.

John D. Jr., Back

NEW YORK.—John D. Rockefeller, Jr., "came back" to his old Bible class and in a short talk urged hearers to have religion enter into their every day life.

Concrete Didn't Hurt

NEW YORK.—Sammy Wandraff, 22 months, fell from a fourth story window, hit a cement sidewalk seventy feet below and came up smiling. Physicians could not find a bruise on him. The window has been screened.

Stars With Dad

NEW YORK.—DeWolf Hopper, Jr., 18 months old, is the newest screen star. He appears with his father in "Sunshine Dad."

Keep High Heels Off Grass

EVANSTON, Ill.—Because pretty little high heels cut deep in the Northwestern university campus, authorities today told co-eds to "Keep off the grass."

Lost Weight in Court

CHICAGO.—Attend the divorce courts, weep and grow thin, is the axiom Mrs. L. B. Bishop, who advocated 33 cents a day for the working girls meals, discovered when she went to court and lost four pounds.

Made Wife Do It

CHICAGO.—After Dr. Rufus G. Collins had refused to get out of bed to open a safe, armed masked burglars forced Mrs. Collins to do it and escaped with $500 in loot.

Look For This Mark on The Radiator

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CARRANZA REPORTS HE RECEIVED BIG WELCOME IN MEXICO

WASHINGTON, April 17.—General Carranza got a tremendous welcome when he arrived in Mexico City early on Friday, according to an official message to the embassy here today.

"Notwithstanding the tardy hour of arrival," said the dispatch," the news quickly spread and great popular demonstrations followed."

It is expected the first chief will remain in Mexico City some time, though no announcement was made.

A message to the embassy has also told that the advance guard of the constitutionalist army is now in sight of Cuernavacas, Zapata's chief stronghold.

YALE PREPARED FOR PENN CREW

NEW HAVEN, Conn., April 17.—The Yale eight has practically completed heavy training for the race with the University of Pennsylvania oarsmen on the Schuylkill Saturday. This year the crew is rowing a stroke almost exactly that of Oxford. The shell equipment, however, is American. The race will be the first test for the combination.

HIGHBROWS IN SESSION

MADISON, Wis., April 17.—(Special.)—Three scientific organizations which have been in session here for the past two days concluded their meeting Friday evening with a banquet. The organizations in session were: Wisconsin Academy of Science; the Wisconsin Archeological society and the Madison Myrological society.

RECRUITS COME IN SLOWLY

WASHINGTON, April 17.—In the nine days previous to Friday noon 1,048 men were enlisted in a campaign to raise an additiopal 20,000 soldiers for the regular army.

San Francisco led with 101; Chicago was second with 80 and New York third with 59. The total recruits for the past thirty days is 3,927.

MILL EMPLOYES MAROONED

ASHLAND, Wis., April 17.—One hundred employes of the John Schroeder Lumber company, marooned on Stockton Island, with which all communication is cut off, were believed today to be safe. They have sufficient provisions, it was said, and are high enough to escape floods. Ice breaking up makes communication by boats impossible.

How Physiologists Regard Coffee

In a recent article, Dr. W. A. Evans, editor of the "How to Keep Well" column of the Chicago Tribune, says:

"In order that no misunderstanding may arise, I should say that physiologists regard Coffee, Tea, Tobacco and Whiskey as drugs in the same sense as Opium and Cocaine are. From coffee at one end of the line to cocaine at the other, no pot has the right to call the kettle black."

The average cup of coffee contains about 2½ grains of caffeine, a habit-forming drug—not enough in one cup to seriously harm. But, when used regularly, it is for many the cause of sleeplessness, nervousness, heart trouble, mental and physical fatigue, and a host of other complaints.

POSTUM

on the other hand, is a pure food-drink made of roasted wheat and a little molasses. It tastes much like coffee, but contains no caffeine nor other injurious drug.

Postum comes in two forms: The original **Postum Cereal,** which must be boiled; 15c and 25c packages; and **Instant Postum,** a soluble form that produces the beverage instantly—a level teaspoonful to a cup of hot water; 30c and 50c tins. Both forms are equally delicious, and the cost is about the same—one-half cent per cup.

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Your full money's worth in shoes bought here. We give it to our customers, not for high rents. You save $1 or more on each pair. Shop early for service.

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GEORGE W. PECK FORMER RESIDENT SUDDENLY CALLED

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widely known as the author of the famous "Peck's Bad Boy" stories. He was regarded as a distinct personality, not only in Wisconsin but over the United States. His writings brought him a comfortable fortune, political recognition, and the ability to devote himself to his pet hobby of philanthropy.

He owned residences in Milwaukee and Oconomowoc, being a member much in demand of the summer colony at the latter place.

Was 75 Years Old

Mr. Peck was 75 years old. He was born in Jefferson, N. Y., and came west when he was a boy. His parents settled in Whitewater, Wis., and it was there he entered the printing business as a printer's devil. He worked as a printer and acquired an interest in several Wisconsin newspapers at various times until the civil war broke out. During the war he attained the rank of lieutenant.

After the war Mr. Peck established the Ripon Representative and started his first humorous writings. Brick Pomeroy took him to New York when he established the New York Democrat.

Elected Governor in '90's

He was elected mayor of Milwaukee in the early '90's, but remained in office only a short while, relinquishing the mayoralty to assume the governorship of Wisconsin, to which he had been elected meanwhile.

He was noted for his friendship to poor boys, and one of his birthdays was noted for an excursion upon which he invited all the newsboys of Chicago. On this occasion he was presented with a pair of diamond cuff links by the boys, who had taken a collection for a gift to their patron.

Of late years Mr. Peck had lived quietly in his mansion at 195 Prospect avenue, Milwaukee. Mrs. Peck died about ten years ago. He leaves two sons, George W. Jr., 63 East division street, Chicago, and Roy W. Peck of Milwaukee.

YOU CAN HAVE PINK CHEEKS

What causes the color to fade from pink cheeks and red lips? In a word it is thin blood.

When the fading color in cheeks and lips is accompanied by a loss of brightness in the eyes and an increasing heaviness in the step, the cause is to be sought in the state of the blood.

A hundred causes may contribute to the condition of thin blood that is known as anemia. Overwork, lack of out-door exercise, insufficient rest and sleep, improper diet, these are a few of them. The important thing is to restore the blood to normal, to build it up so that the color will return to cheeks and lips.

Dr. Williams' Pink Pills are the great blood builder and invigorator. They begin at once to increase the red corpuscles in the blood and the new blood carries strength and health to every part of the body. Appetite increases, digestion becomes more perfect, energy and ambition return.

A booklet, "Building Up the Blood," will be sent free on request by the Dr. Williams Medicine Co., Schenectady, N. Y. if you mention this paper. Your own druggist sells Dr. Williams' Pink Pills or they will be sent by mail on receipt of price, 50 cents per box, six boxes, $2.50.

WOMAN SAVE $5 USING GASOLINE

Dry clean your dresses, suits, silks, yokes, gloves, draperies, etc.

Save $5 to $10 by doing your own dry cleaning. Here is a simple and inexpensive way to clean and brighten children's coats, suits, caps, woolen garments, Swiss, lawn, organdie and chiffon dresses, kid gloves and shoes, furs, neckties, ribbons, silks, satins, lace, yokes, silk shirtwaists, draperies, rugs, in fact, any and everything that would be ruined with soap and water.

Get two ounces of solvite at any drug store and put it in two gallons of gasoline, where it readily dissolves. Then put in the goods to be cleaned. After a little rubbings out they came looking as clean and fresh as new. You will find nothing fades, shrinks or wrinkles, requiring no pressing.

Any woman can do home dry cleaning in a few moments at little cost and save lots of money. It is as simple and easy as laundering, and you can't make a mistake. Your grocer or any garage will supply the gasoline, and your druggist will sell you two ounces of solvite which is simply a gasoline soap. Then a wash boiler or large dishpan completes your home dry cleaning outfit. As gasoline is very inflammable, be sure to do your dry cleaning out of doors or in a room away from fire or flame, with the windows left open.

MAJESTIC STRONG BOX RIPPED OPEN POLICE CLUELESS

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ager's three year old daughter, was taken by the cracksmen. It was too large for Mary Jane, and her father was keeping it in his safe until she grew to fit it.

Loss Insured

The loss, so far as the Majestic theater is concerned, is fully covered by burglar insurance, Mr. Koppelberger said. A representative of the insurance company was expected from Minneapolis at noon today, to assist the police in rounding up the gang that blew the safe. Until his arrival, the mess of broken steel and splintered wood was left untouched on the floor of the manager's office.

Finger prints left on the enameled sides and the door of the safe appear to be the only clues left by the safe-blowers. If they can be identified as those of well-known yeggmen whose bertillon measurements are on record, the search may be much simplified. Otherwise the police are absolutely without a trace of the criminals.

Hid After Show

That the gang secreted themselves in the theater after the evening vaudeville show last night was the theory of the police. No windows or doors in the theater were forced.

A remarkable feature of the robbery was that it took place less than an hour after William Freise, stage manager, and William McMahon, an employe, left the house. They had stayed over after the show last night to catch an early Southern Minnesota train with posters to be put up in near-by towns for "The Birth of a Nation," which plays a week's return engagement next week. Freise and McMahon left the theater at four o'clock for the north side.

The police believe that the yeggs were hidden in the theater where they could watch the employes, and that as soon as the pair left, they attacked the manager's office.

Entrance was gained by prying off a strip on the door frame, which allowed the insertion of a small chisel against the bolt of the spring lock. It was thus easily pressed back, releasing the door.

Yeggs Were Experts

That the men must have been experts is attested by the speed and certainty with which they worked. They had prepared their line of escape, also, it was found by the police, who found the rear stage door of the theater propped open with a stick, in order that there might be no fumbling with locks to delay the exit.

No suspicious characters were seen about the streets early this morning, and so far as the police have been able to discover, the trail of the cracksmen vanished at the rear door of the theater. No less than four trains left the city between the hour of the robbery and 7:20, when the police were first notified. It is believed that the men escaped on one of these.

Telegrams were sent to the conductors of the trains, all the stations were being watched today, and all surrounding towns have been notified to be on the lookout for men with a large quantity of silver money.

That the cracksmen would undoubtedly have been caught if Behrens had stepped to the telephone and called the police when he heard the mysterious explosion was the declaration of Central Station today. The police declare thaty could have sent a squad of men through the alley, a block long, to the Majestic, and rounded up the gang before it left the theater building.

PERSHING ORDERED TO SEND MEN INTO PARRAL MOUNTAINS

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to warrant an account of the fact in Major Tompkins' statement.

EL PASO, Texas, April 17.—Erection of a stockade to accommodate an unknown number of prisoners taken by the American troops in Mexico, was begu nhere today. Tents were being placed inside the stockade for the bandits.

Acetylene lamps will illuminate the pen at night and a system of bell alarms will be installed to detect attempts to escape. Guards will patrol between a double line of twelve foot posts strung with barbed wire.

RUSS SOLDIERS REVOLT

BERLIN, via Wireless to Sayville, April 17.—Russian soldiers at Nikolajevsk mutinied on account of illtreatment by their officers and set fire to the barracks, Berlin newspapers reported today. Twenty-seven soldiers perished in the flames.

CONTINUE PURSUIT UNTIL VILLA TALE IS QUITE VERIFIED

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in the hands of Carranza troops.

Dr. W. L. Brown, one of the best known practioners in El Paso, says Villa has suffered so much from blood poisoning for a year that a slight wound would prove fatal. Dr. Brown has treated him for the trouble.

Reports of rioting in Chihuahua where Villa is a hero, thought to be confirmatory of the death story, officials say.

If Villa had been sound in body, officials declare, he would almost certainly have been heard of since the Guerrero fighting. But not the slightest activitty has been reported.

Capital Expectant

BY CARL D. GROAT

(United Press Staff Correspondent)

WASHINGTON April 17.—Washington today strained every resource seeking to confirm or disprove circumstantial reports of the death of Pancho Villa. The reports thrilled every person in the capital, from President Wilson down. It meant, if true, that "the Mexican situation" no longer existed.

Expert Identification

If the question is one of merely identifying the body reported to be on its way to Chihuahua City in charge of Colonel Carranza, nephew of the first chief, it should be answered quickly. United Sthates Consul Letcher at Chihuahua is able to identify the famous bandit, it is believed, and his may be the first official announcement that the bandit hunt began March 9, is ended.

What double of the report existed was based largely on other reports reaching the war department telling of Villa's whereabouts at various other points. Another report from Major Robert L. Howze, in command of a picked squadron of the Eleventh cavalry, wired from Santa Cruz near Parral said Villa was in the mountains southwest of La Borja, fifty miles northwest of Parral and not far from Satevo.

Plans Unchanged

Secretary Baker, greatly impressed by a message of Customs Collector Cobb at El Paso to Lansing, reporting Villa's death as a fact, nevertheless indicated there would be absolutely no change in plans or preparations for changing plans unless unimpeachable confirmation were obtained. The department cannot afford to overlook the possibility of false reports, intentional or otherwise, he felt.

An official dispatch from Naco today stating it was known two weeks ago that Villa was enroute to the region where the body was found, was regarded as tending to confirm the claim that the body exhumed is that of the bandit leader.

Arrival of Body Delayed

EL PASO, Texas, April 17.—The supposed body of Pancho Villa has been delayed in arriving at Cusihuirachic, Carranza Consul Garcia announced this afternoon, and probably will not reach Chihuahua until tomorrow.

The forty Americans, principally newspaper men and moving picture camera operators, who started for Chihuahua City to view the body were also delayed. Their special train, which left early today, was stalled after covering ten miles. It was pulled back into Juarez for a new engine but still remained in the Mexican Central yards early this afternoon.

EL PASO, Texas, April 17.—A train left Juarez for Chihuahua before dawn today with a small group of Americans, including a number who knew him intimately, for the purpose of identifying the alleged body of Pancho Villa. The body excavated from the lonely grave in the mountains west of Satevo was pointed out by a former Villista colonel in return for amnesty.

All indications are that this story of Villa's end is reliable, although as yet not officially confirmed. Villa was once treated by El Paso specialists for a virulent blood disease. The experts now declare that if wounded by a bullet gangrene would have followed unless the wound received skilful attention. There was no competent surgeon with Villa's band or in the territory around Gerrero. The village doctor reported to have operated on Villa was believed to have been crude.

"It's a four to one shot that the body is Villa's," said Carranza Consul Garcia. I have no official information that he is dead, but I have asked to have the body sent to Juarez so Americans here can satisfy themselves."

A number of American newspapermen and movie camera operators, who desired to go to Chihuahua to view Villa's supposed body, were refused aid by Carranza Consul Garcia. He refused to give them any documents showing their identity and notified them that the Carranza government would not be responsible for their safety.

Riot Due to Hunger

Rioting reported at Chihuahua and at first attributed to the excitement over Villa's rumored death is now said to have been due to hunger of the populace. Small wages and famine prices induced by large purchases for the American troops south of Chihuahua combined to place food out of the reach of the poor in the city.

The reported riots and looting in Chihuahua were not directed against American residents, according to the advices. The messages also suggested that the deprecated value of Carranza currency was causing a food short age among the Carranza garrison.

Consul Garcia expected to receive today a reply from Colonel Carlos Carranza to Garcia's request for confirmation.

"If Carranza says the body is Vila's I will be satisfied," said Garcia. "Colonel Carranza knows him and is dependable. If he says it is Villa I will not pay any attention to contrary reports."

Depend on Carranza

MEXICO CITY, April 17.—War Minister Obregon today telegraphed to Carlos Carranza, nephew of General Carranza asking him to confirm, if possible, the report that Villa's body has been found.

In view of the numerous telegraphic reports from Chihuahua City and Juarez, officials were inclined to believe the news may be true. It was pointed out, however, that similar reports have been spread by the Villistas to slacken the pursuit of the bandit leader and have been found to be false.

General Carranza, busy with the festivities arranged in honor of his arrival, would make no comment today, either on the report of Villa's death or the negotiations with the United States.

Treachery or Uprising?

WASHINGTON, April 17.—Whether American troopers were led into Parral for an intended massacre by treachery or whether the town mob and Carranza soldiers got beyond control of General Lozano, their commander, was still uncertain today.

General Funston reports he believes General Lozano acted in good faith.

DRESBACH MAN DIES

Peter R. Dickson, Dresbach, Minn., former foreman of the Dresbach brick yards, died at 7:30 Saturday evening at his home. Heart disease caused death. He was 70 years of age.

Mr. Dickson was born May 22, 1846, in Canada, and has lived in Dresbach for twenty-three years. Five sons and one daughter survice. They are Roland R. Dickson, La Crosse; Hollis H. Dickson, La Crescent, Minn.; Irving P. Dickson, Dresbach, Arthur S. Dickson, Dresbach, and Mrs. A. E. Smith, Kellogg, Minn. One brother, Robert Dickson, Dresbach, also survives. Mr. Dickson was a member of the Morning Star lodge of Masons.

Funeral services will be held at 2 o'clock Wednesday afternoon.

BIDDINGER CHARGES PLOT

NEW YORK, April 17.—Counsel for Guy Biddinger, former Burns detective who is wanted in Chicago on 51 charges of bribery and corruption, charged that some hidden motive lies behind the prosecution of his client, in arguing on a writ of habeas corpus before Justice Bijar today.

THE MOVIES

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"THE PRISONER AT THE BAR"

A three act drama, featuring Darwin Karr and Wardah Howard.

"THE MISSING MUMMY"

A comedy, and

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Francis X. Bushman and Marguerite Snow in

"THE SILENT VOICE"

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THE STRAND

TONIGHT ONLY

"A MAN'S WORK"

Three part Essanay feature.

"TRILBY'S LOVE DISASTER"

Selig comedy.

A good scenic subject and a Cartoon Comedy will also be shown.

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THE STAR

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CHARLIE CHAPLIN?

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"The Rounders"

"GRAFT"

With HOBART HENLEY, the matinee idol. Great fire scene

"TRAGEDY OF WHISPERING CREEK"

Two part 101 Bison drama of the Rockies.

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With Harry Meyers and Rosemary Theby, and **L-KO Comedy** with Gertrude Selby and Fatty. Music by the Musical Grebners.

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MARY CASSATT IS PAINTER OF LOVE AND THAT IS ART

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cling to the mothers. It is beautiful because romance is there. The feet of the little children are treading the first days of life in holy places.

Her Method Bold

"How can one paint love? Joy, easily; fear, with a few black strokes—but love which seems an ineffable light revealing the joy of the spirit, how can it be painted in the smile of a mother and the tender response in the faces of the young?

"Oddly enough Miss Cassatt seems to accomplish this mystery of art with the boldest, most audacious methods. Her color is vigorous, at a first glance flamboyant (not in tone, but in handling); there is no seeking aid from her tools. She does not bring to her subject a logical brush wearing vague poetical tints; none of the usual symbols for youth or love are employed. Apparently, to her maternal love is not a pale blue emotion, to be draped with clouds and expressed with anaemic physique. Life is richer than that. To one who knows, motherhood cannot be circled by a halo or made nobler by the attenuation of a mediaeval saint. It is the incomparably greatest experience of womanhood, the final joy, compounded of the keenest sorrow the world holds. It is this that Mary Cassatt's wonderful art portrays, with all the force, virility and freedom that her great gift, trained to rare skill, places at her command. She has apprehended through her clear vision the spiritual height and human breadth of motherhood.

Wins Fine Tribune

"If it is art to portray life, and it is only of lasting value, as it sincerely expresses the realities of life, then Mary Cassatt has established her preeminence beyond recall, for she reveals with intimate understanding the great romance of life."—Adapted from an article in the Craftsman.

Miss Cassatt, a follower of the school of Manet, sends her canvases to the Impressionists' exhibitions in the salons and in her indifference to their applause she stands alone. She is a member of the Legion of Honor of France, and her work takes rank beside that of the foremost modern masters. In 1914, however, she did accept a gold medal from the Pennsylvania Academy of Fine Arts—the only honor she has accepted in her long distinguished career.

Her work is resolute, thoughtful, and lucid. Much of her master's (Manet's) strength of line is in her work, and much also of his solemn, almost classic restraint. All her pictures show freedom from the convention of detail in accessories. The backgrounds are luminous with atmospheric suggestion, even definiteness, but detail never obtrudes.

Elizabeth Luther Carey says that the chief distinction of Mary Cassatt's art is closeness of interpretation united to the impressionist's care for the transitory aspect of things.

Brings Truths to Light

But with all her acknowledged incomparable technique, what ranks Mary Cassatt's work with the great masters of painting, with Manet, Degas, Whistler, is her power to penetrate into the supreme truths of life and bring them to light through her art, for the world to better understand. At various intervals this artist has devoted herself to painting in oils and pastels, to color-etching, drypoint and even lithography, and has reached high rank in the use of all these mediums.

Good reproductions of others of her paintings may be seen in Scribner, volumes 46 and 19; in the Century, volume 57; in the Craftsman, volume 19; Current Literature, volume 46.

The man who foots the bills always has a kick coming.

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THE CURE LASTED

OVER TWO YEARS LATER, Mr. Sokolik said: "I gladly recommend Doan's Kidney Pills again as the cure they made in my case has been permanent."

Price 50c, at all dealers. Don't simply ask for a kidney remedy—get Doan's Kidney Pills—the same that Mr. Sokolik has twice publicly recommended. Foster-Milburn Co., Props., Buffalo, N. Y.

MRS. JOE WERNER CALLED BY DEATH

Mrs. Johanna Werner, aged 69, wife of Joseph Werner, 610 South Tenth street, died at 12:30 yesterday afternoon at her home. Death followed an illness of a week, and was caused by pneumonia and asthma.

Mrs. Werner was born in 1846 in Bohemia. She is survived by her husband, and one son, Frank Werner, of La Crosse, and four daughters. They are sisters in St. Joseph's convent, Milwaukee. One son, a Catholic priest, died eleven years ago.

Funeral services will be held at 8:30 Wednesday morning from the residence and at 9 o'clock from St. Joseph's Cathedral. Rev. Peter Pape will officiate. Interment will be made at the Catholic cemetery.

FEW FOLKS HAVE GRAY HAIR NOW

Druggist Says Ladies Are Using Recipe of Sage Tea and Sulphur.

Hair that loses its color and lustre, or when it fades, turns gray, dull and lifeless, is caused by a lack of sulphur in the hair. Our grandmother made up a mixture of Sage Tea and Sulphur to keep her locks dark and beautiful, and thousands of women and men who value that even color, that beautiful dark shade of hair which is so attractive, use only this old-time recipe.

Nowadays we get this famous mixture improved by the addition of other ingredients by asking at any drug store for a 50-cent bottle of "Wyeth's Sage and Sulphur Compound," which darkens the hair so naturally, so evenly, that nobody can possibly tell it has been applied. You just dampen a sponge or soft brush with it and draw this through your hair, taking one small strand at a time. By morning the gray hair disappears; but what delights the ladies with Wyeth's Sage and Sulphur Compound, is that, besides beautifully darkening the hair after a few applications, it also brings back the gloss and lustre and gives it an appearance of abundance.

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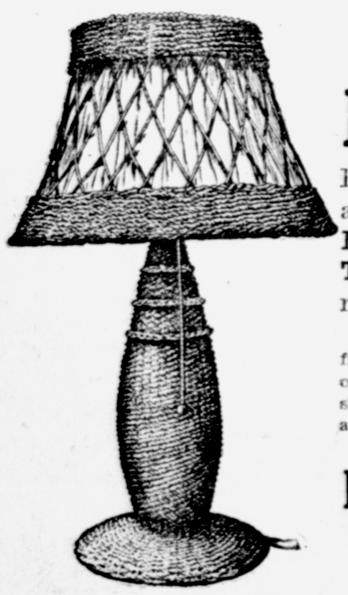

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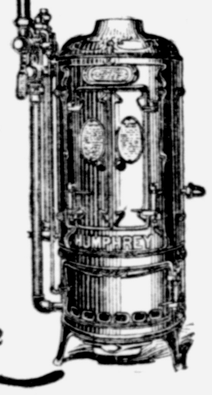

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THE WINNER

By William Winter.

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They swooped on and on until the pits once more loomed ahead of them. As they went past he first glanced at his stop watch and then at the line of pits. His practiced eye caught his own men and noted that they were ready with the signals Two laps, and they were on the third.

When they came around again Henry leaned over and shouted "seventy-five' into Huddings' ear. The driver made no response but the throttle slid up a notch and the car responded. Then his mechanician set himself to gather some idea of the positions of the opposing cars.

One or two were within sight and he made out the number, eight, of the DeChaud. He could recognize, above the roaring of their own exhaust, the rattling whine of the chain drives. The little car was scooting evenly onward, without a falter or a tremor.

"I wonder how fast he's going," muttered Henry. He could not know, however, until his pit men caught the time and signalled it. So he craned his neck to see if the Crescent was in sight. But he could not see it.

Lap after lap rolled away until it began to become monotonous. They were running evenly at between seventy-five and eighty miles an hour for the entire lap, though, of course, their speed was much greater on the stretches to make up for the time lost on the curves. The signals told them that the DeChaud was running in third place and that a Republic had taken the lead and was burning the track as well over eighty miles an hour.

They themselves settled down to about seventy-five and held that speed. After a while they had a brush with the big Bourchier and finally passed it on the far turn. As Henry had predicted, it was unable to hold the track at highed speed and was virtually out of the race already. The DeChaud, however, was hanging grimly to its place, content to let the pacemaker wear itself out. The race was young as yet.

A car roared behind them, gradually getting nearer and nearer. By the time the tenth lap was past it was less than a hundred feet in the rear and still gaining. Henry watched it closely as it crept up. The track cleared of smoke and he made off the number. It was eighteen; the figure that was borne by the Crescent.

"See what it will take to hold this fellow for a while!" he yelled into Huddings' ears, and the driver nodded without taking his eyes from the track. Nearer and nearer crept the Crescent, driven like a storm by Verrens. It came up on the outside and challenged them as they swept into the turn. The stands shrieked as they scented a brush for position.

Huddings let out a notch and the Crescent took their smoke as they whirled around the turn. They held the lower edge of the track and there was no chance to pass them until the straightaway was reached. Here, however, Verrens bent to his task and drove to capacity.

Huddings answered the signals of Henry, who was carefully watching his rival. Side by side the two cars leaped down the stretch, the throttle of the Parker was now wide open. Everything was adjusted perfectly and she was doing her best. The Crescent held its place but did not gain.

Henry motioned to Huddings and the speed was cut down. The Crescent drove ahead and its mechanician cast a taunting glance back at them as it took the lead on the far turn. But Henry only smiled through caked lips. His car could hold the Crescent. But he was sure that it could not sustain that pace for long, nor could its rival. So they rolled swiftly through lap after lap.

At twenty laps the Republic faltered and dropped back to change a tire, burnt up by its mad speed. The DeChaud was in second place. Behind it was the Ohio and the fifth car was the Crescent. As yet the race was young, far too young to warrant a prediction. In eighth place, the Parker Special was running lap for lap with half a dozen other cars.

There was a crash and a sickening jar when they leaned against the bank on the far turn on the twenty-sixth lap. The car swerved, answered the firm helm and rolled along on three tires and a rim as Huddings cut down the speed. They limped painfully down the straightaway toward the pits while Henry held his arms in a circle high over his head as a signal to his pit men.

They crawled into the open space and the men swarmed over the walls with jacks and rims before they had stopped. Both driver and mechanician were there on the ground at once and the bolts were being whirled off the wheel before the thing had ceased to roll. The axle was jacked up, the wheel stripped, the rim pounded on and the bolts twisted swiftly home. Huddings leaped to his seat and Henry followed him. In forty-five seconds after they had drawn up, they rolled out again and slowly picked up their speed. But they were now in twelfth place.

At seventy-five miles the Crescent went in for two tires. The delay sent them back to eighth place, so closely were a number of cars bunched. But by this time, the DeChaud was right on the heels of the leading car and that machine was plainly faltering. At a hundred miles the little foreigner was leading by a full lap and there was no longer any doubt in most minds, that, barring an unlikely accident, the French Baby had the race already tucked away. The struggle henceforth was for places in the prize list among the first ten cars to finish.

The speed, which had been maintained at an unprecedented notch while the first cars fought it out for the lead, slowed down until the DeChaud was rolling along at an even eighty miles an hour for each lap, and the others were averaging all the way from almost that figure down to a bare sixty-five for the trailing lame entries. Some there were who drove recklessly for lap after lap, striving to cut down the leads held over them, but these threw tires or broke parts until it was clear that such efforts would avail nothing.

Lap after lap and hour after hour rolled by until even the frightful speed became monotonous, rousing no emotion in the drivers. Cars dropped out and limped home for tires and oil and gas. Henry noted, after a hundred and fifty odd miles had been run, that a wrecked car lay in the grass, twisted grotesquely and almost hidden by a curious crowd of spectators, but which car it was and the details of the accident he could not know until he came into the pits again.

Another tire thrown about noon, the third they had lost, gave them opportunity to snatch sandwiches, which they munched as they drove. Other drivers had reliefs but Huddings must drive the entire distance alone. That iron man did not waver, however.

They knew nothing of the storm that had passed over a section of the grand-stand when the car shot past the wire for the sixtieth time. They had covered one hundred and fifty miles without a falter. Fifteen thousand dollars had been wagered on the apparent certainty that they would collapse before that mark had been reached, and the supposedly proud owner of the Parker Special, whose creditable performance was beginning to arouse enthusiasm, was unaccountably maddened. He swore and cursed and discharged Henry a thousand times, anathematizing him profusely while he did. His stormy denunciation resounded above the thunder of the booming cars below him.

Henry did not know that he was discharged, nor care. He was watching the signals that told him the Crescent was now in twelfth place and that he was in thirteenth. Surely and certainly, the Crescent was dropping back and the Special was closing the gap between them. Henry smiled grimly and bent again to his sweetly running motor, blessing that ancient genius who had put magnificent material and work into it.

Two hundred and three hundred miles swept behind the dizzily racing cars. Lap after lap was reeled away. Car after car went limping from the fray or drew up, and was abandoned beside the track. The field was cut down from thirty to twenty-five, to twenty and finally, to eighteen. And still the Parker Special hung grimly in the race and now had passed the Crescent for eleventh place, a car ahead of both having been retired.

There had been one death and several injuries, most of them minor. Six cars had been wrecked. The others had broken down in some vital part.

Four hundred miles were passed. The Parker Special was in tenth place and within the list of prize winners. Behind it, hanging on in turn, was the Crescent, desperately driven to gain a foothold among the select few. The remaining cars were all good tried campaigners, and there was little chance that any would go out unless wrecked.

The Parker held its place because it used fewer tires than the Crescent and not because it was faster. Time and again the latter had challenged, twice it had passed the black machine, but always, when it seemed that it would take and hold the lead, a tire had blown and it had fallen back again. Grim and cool, Huddings drove to schedule, and events were wroving him right.

The afternoon waned and the laps flowed steadily beneath them. The strain was becoming terrific, but neither Huddings nor Henry heeded it. Tired, black with soot and smoke, streaked with oil, they hung to their task and drove with grim skill. One hundred and sixty laps, one hundred and seventy, one hundred and eighty, were hung up on the scoreboard. Far ahead of them, the DeChaud romped toward the final laps with all rivals far in the rear. It had not been headed since it took the lead at eighty-five miles.

They heard the wild and frantic cheering that told when the Frenchman got the flag for the last lap and the storm of sound that told how he had come home in front. But they still had far to go and who finished first, second or third did not concern them. Their task was to beat the Crescent.

After each lap they heard cheers for the cars that got the flag in turn. They had many laps to cover as yet, but they held tenth place in their hands while the Crescent was four laps to the rear of them in eleventh, just outside the money.

"Tire!" yelled Henry at the hundred and ninety-fifth lap. Huddings nodded, and as they passed, Henry gave the signal, not only for a new tire, but also for oil and gas. They slacked no particles of their speed until they had swung into the stretch again and they had lost but little time when they came to a stop at the pit.

But there were two worn tires and Henry ordered both renewed in a voice that was a treble scream. He worked feverishly and did not watch the pouring of the gasoline as he should have done. A pit boy, for the first time free from the searching supervision of the mechanician, seized the only opportunity the race had presented. He did not dare to do much. But he grabbed the can of gasoline and slopped it recklessly over the funnel, hoping to let most of it escape.

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ONALASKA ALUMNI MEETS TO ARRANGE FOR ANNUAL FEED

ONALASKA, Wis., April 17.—(Special.)—The high school alumni will hold a business meeting at the high school Saturday night for the purpose of making plans for the annual alumni banquet and dance. All members are urged to be present.

Local and Personal

Born, to Mr. and Mrs. Howard Kinney of Campbell, a nine pound daughter, Sunday, April 9. Mrs. Kinney was formerly Miss Minnie Christofferson of this city.

Mrs. Albert Kinney had the misfortune to fall down stairs Sunday afternoon and badly sprained her foot.

Queen Esther circle met at the home of Miss Laura Meyers Monday evening.

The public schools will close Friday for a week's spring vacation.

J. North is recovering from an attack of pneumonia.

Mr. and Mrs. B. S Shove are recovering from their recent sick spell.

Miss Julia Russell of La Crosse spent Saturday at the home of her brother, Mr. L. Russell of this city.

Mrs. H. Cronk's division of the Ladies' "Get-Together" club met in the church basement Thursday afternoon. Proceeds amounted to about $45.

The bazaar given by the Ladies' Aid society of the First United Lutheran church at the church parlors Friday was a success in every way. Proceeds amounting to $188 will go toward the repairing of the church.

Mr. Small died at his home on South Fourth street Saturday evening after an illness of several years. Funeral arrangements will be made later.

George Johnson and family have moved into the Frank Clark house on Jay street, the past week.

Herbert Harris of Minneapolis arrived Wednesday to spend some time here with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. E. E. Harris.

Laura Meyers left Saturday morning for a week's visit with her sister in Iowa.

The Queen Esther girls were entertained by Queen Esther girls of the Caledonia Street church Friday evening.

Mr. A. G. Jerome will soon move his barber shop into the building recently vacated by Dr. Johnson.

Miss Maude Case is spending her spring vacation at Galesville, Wis.

Miss Ella Abend has gone to Hixton to spend the spring vacation with her parents.

Miss Myrtle Oltman is spending the week with her parents and sister at West Salem, Wis.

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FARMERS NEAR CHASEBURG START SPRING PLOWING

CHASEBURG, Wis., April 17.—(Special.)—Farmers in the vicinity of Chaseburg have just commenced spring plowing and in a few instances where fall plowing was done, seeding is taking place.

Farm work has been delayed beyond the usual starting time because of the increased depth of frost in the ground due in a measure to scarcity of snow during the winter.

Personals

O. N. Hendrickson visited at his home here Thursday.

Miss Martha Midthlien has returned from a few days' visit with Westby friends.

A. W. Waugen was a Coon Valley business caller Thursday.

Julius Skarrud and Ingvald Knutson transacted business at the county seat this week.

Christ Sather was a Coon Valley visitor Monday.

A. W. Bye and family are spending a few days at Coon Valley with relatives.

Miss Lully Urbanek has left for her home near Coon Valley after having been employed here for the winter.

I. Scholl of La Crosse spent the week-end here on a business mission.

P. S. Curtis, conversation agent of Viroqua, spent Saturday along the river looking for possible violators of the fishing laws.

Tom Gilbertson visited sick relatives in La Crosse Sunday.

W. R. Cunningham of La Crosse was the guest of relatives here Sunday.

Mrs. Manske visited friends in La Crosse Monday.

A. Bluske transacted business in La Crosse Monday.

Miss Rozella Timm has returned from a visit in La Crosse.

Mrs. William Sieger is home from a few days' shopping in La Crosse.

Ole Olson spent Thursday in Westby on a business trip.

Mr. and Mrs. John Lepke are spending the week-end with Coon Valley relatives.

O. M. Galstad was a Coon Valley caller Thursday.

O. Brudlos spent Thursday in La Crosse on business.

P. Bouffleur and Charles Brzozowske were La Crosse visitors on business Friday.

Miss Clara Hickel attended the teachers' examinations at Viroqua Friday.

J. Weisman, Winona, and A. Tausche, La Crosse, were callers here Thursday.

Those that took the civil service examination for postmaster at Viroqua March 11 received their ratings Thursday. No appointment has been as yet made.

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NEWS NOTES from MOVIELAND
By DAISY DEAN

Earl Williams, villain of the stage, hero of the screen, was born in Sacramento, Cal., February 28, 1880. His first position was as an office boy sandwiched in between high school and college. His first theatrical engagement was utility man with the Baldwin-Helville stock company in New Orleans in 1901.

His principal engagements have been with the Frederick Belasco company in San Francisco and Portland; one year with James Neil Stock company; heavy with Henry Dixey in "The Man on the Box," heavy with Rose Stahl in "The Chorus Lady," juvenile in Mary Mannering's "Glorious Betsey" and with Helen Ware in "The Third Degree."

Some of his principal pictures are "The Christian," in which he played John Storm; "Love's Sunset," "Memories That Haunt," "Lovesick Maidens of Middletown," "Two Women and Two Men," "The Love of John Ruskin," "The Bond of Music," "The Test of Friendship," "The Thumb Print," "Warfare in the Skies," and "My Official Wife."

Earl Williams.

In pictures he's a life-size hero. On the stage he was a villain of the deepest dye.

Charlie Chaplin Is a Shy Violet

The studio for Mr. Charles Chaplin is now quite ready and the eminent comedian has begun his activities (not work, as he used to call it). The first thing to be built in the studio was a dressing table, which, while not very marvelous in its appointments, has a very large and beautiful sign upon it which informs an admiring public that it belongs to "Mr. Charles Chaplin." Into this Mr. Chaplin disapears as soon as he sees anyone approaching. This is not due to any fear of conscription, but because, as Mr. Chaplin says "one must be very careful who one meets when one has an income of $10,000 a week."

Marie Doro as An Irish Maid

Marie Doro, who has gone to the studios of the Jesse L. Lasky Feature Play company, at Hollywood, California, under a contract for a period of years, will make her debut as a Lasky star on April 24 in a photoplay entitled, "The Heart of Nora Flynn," which is being directed by Cecil B. De Mille. This production will show Miss Doro in a role unlike any she has heretofore enacted in motion pictures. As Nora Flynn she will play an Irish nurse maid.

Won't some nice man please propose to Sis Hopkins? "I think these stars have all been exaggerating," she says. "Here I have been in pictures for two months and I haven't received a proposal yet."

Robert Edeson, of Vitagraph, is doing some stuff in the costume of the Canadian northwest. He is so thoroughly imbued with the spirit of the wilds that he asked for raw fish the other day in a restaurant.

In Vivian Martin's new photoplay, "A Modern Thelma," soon to be released, the entire ballet of "The Blue Paradise," a casino success, was used.

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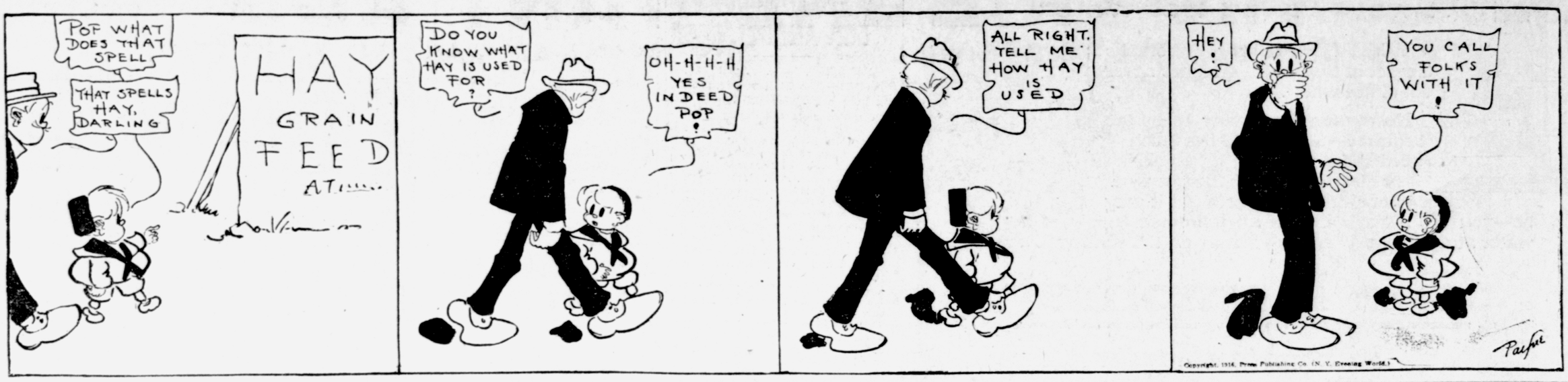

BRINGING UP FATHER

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By GEORGE McMANUS

BOSTON FINANCIERS TRAVEL IN LUXURY

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SPEND THE DAY IN LA CROSSE

Look Over Utility Plants Here and Are Guests at a Reception and Luncheon

Traveling in the most expensively appointed private coaches in the United States, with billiard and pool tables, miniature bowling alleys, shower baths, private barbers and every convenience of the up-to-date Chicago or New York dwelling to comfort or entertain them, thirty-seven representatives of the Paine-Webber company, Boston bankers, and the Wisconsin-Minnesota Light and Power company arrived in La Crosse over the Milwaukee railroad this morning to inspect the local plant of the light and power concern.

The party is led by Joseph H. Brewer of Grand Rapids, Mich., president of the light and power concern and C. B. Kelsey, his partner, head of the Kelsey-Brewer company, of Grand Rapids, and Frank Son Boston, a member of the Paine-Webber company. At least ten members of the party are millionaires.

The Boston bankers, who were instrumental in securing the $10,00,000 with which the light and power company is capitalized, are being shown the properties of the company by Mr. Brewer.

Following a reception at the La Crosse club at 11:30 this morning, at which the travelers were introduced to local business men, they were guests at a luncheon in the Hotel Stoddard. They will be shown over the city this afternoon. This evening they will leave for Winona, Minn., to inspect property of the light concern.

The party will leave Winona tomorrow for Red Wing. They will then go to Minneapolis, where they will be entertained. Other points which will be visited are Eau Claire, Chippewa Falls, Red Cedar and Menominee.

Here is the Party

The party consists of Frank Son, John H. Blodgett, H. K. Hooker, A. P. Everts, Charles Clark, Walter G. Kennedy, James Adams,, R. Preble, W. C. Rich, R. V. Murphy, C. F. Astin, Emery Haseltine, B. C. Fonda, Parker Trowbridge, A. R. Hazen, Prentice Shepard, Harry Pellren, Dan Adams, Boston, Mass; P. S. Chase, Jr., Providence, R. I.; John J. McKion, Ned Haven, Conn.; Sanger B. Steel, C. B. Chapman, J. S. Brewer, D. M. Pope, J. J. McCall, and D. O. True, Chicago; Roy H. O'Neil, and A. F. John, Milwaukee; Harry Holt, Chicago; W. L. Stannard, Calumet, Mich.; S. E. Bynne, Houghton, Mich.; E. J. Furlong, Milwaukee; Joseph H. Brewer, C. B. Kelsy and Adolph Brandt, Grand Rapids, Mich.; H. H. Harrison, Indianapolis, Ind., and B. T. Gafford, Grand Rapids, Mich.

Following their arrival at eight o'clock this morning the visitors inspected the new power station of the utility company at Second and Jay streets. From there they were piloted to the gas plant on North Third street. Their visits also included a visit to the Wisconsin Pearl Button company's plant.

SIX VOLUNTEERS HAVE ANSWERED MACARONI CALL

Six La Crosse men have answered the call of the board of trade for capital to start the proposed macaroni plant here. The sums contributed are not known, it was stated by D. W. MacWillie today. Communications were received in sealed envelopes. They will be opened together. The board of trade is seeking to secure twenty investors of $500.

NORWEGIAN BOAT SHELLED AND SUNK

LONDON, April 17.—The Norwegian steamer Glendoon has been shelled and sunk. The British steamer Harrovian, merchantman, has been sunk.

Shipping registers do not list the Glendoon. The Harrovian displaces 4,309 tons and is 385 feet long. She was built in 1914 and owned in London.

ALLEGED FRAUD DENIED WRIT

WASHINGTON, April 17—The supreme court today denied a writ of habeas corpus to Thomas Kelly, arrested for extradition to Canada, where he is charged with defrauding the province of Manitoba out of $1,250,000 in connection with the construction of new parliament buildings in Winnipeg. Kelly is held in Chicago.

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STATE SUES TWO ALLEGED TO HAVE OVERWORKED WOMEN

Michael and Maes Abraham, proprietors of a Second street restaurant, will be tried in circuit court here for alleged employment of six women waiters more than the number of hours allowed by state law. Papers were filed by District Attorney Otto M. Schlabach today in behalf of the Wisconsin industrial commission, which seeks to fine the local restaurant men $1,000. Eight instances are alleged of violation of the statute allowing women to work only 55 hours each week, are cited.

The women named are Nellie Marquette, Cora Bromley, Catherine McDonald, Josephine Johnson and Christinn and Myrtle Dingle. They are said in the complaint filed to have worked eleven and a half hours a day while employed by the Abraham brothers.

They are alleged to have been on duty from 5:30 in the morning until 2:30 in the afternoon and from 5 o'clock in the afternoon until 7:30 at night.

The suit will probably be heard at the next term of circuit court. It is a civil action.

AMERICANS MAY HAVE LOST LIVES ON INVERLYON

LONDON, April 17.—One or two Americans may have been among the eleven men who perished when the British steamer Inverlyon was torpedoed off Fastnet last Tuesday, according to two American survivors, William Ross of Lake City, Va., and William Georgeson of Philadelphia, who reached Liverpool today. Georgeson said he thought at least one American was among the missing seamen but was not sure.

GUARD MEN PROTEST BORAH ARRAIGNMENT

WASHINGTON, April 17.—Alleged National guard misdoings and delinquencies again were the center of a sharp senate debate today. A letter from the executive committee of the national guard association attacking Senator Borah's charge on Saturday as "general and unfair," was received by Senator Reed.

"My charges were neither general or unfair," arrested Borah warmly. "They name dates, offenses and amounts."

"I challenge the national guards lobby here or any one else to controvert them."

B. W. Hough, adjutant general of the Ohio guard wrote a sizzling letter denying that the Ohio guard had "shamefully wasted or embezzled" federal funds. He said that the state itself appropriated $1 for the guard for every fifty-two cents of the United States.

K. P. LAY PLANS FOR MAY MEET OF BIBLE CONVENTION

The Knights of Pythias met yesterday at their lodge hall to discuss arrangements for the Bible Class convention to be held here on Friday, May 5. The chairman of the various committees having the convention in charge were present.

It is expected that several of the supreme officers of the lodge, including Fred E. Wheaton of Minneapolis, supreme keeper of records and seals, as well as the Wisconsin grand lodge officers, will be present. A class of one hundred candidates will be initiated.

The significance of the name, "Bible Class Convention", is taken from the presentation to the supreme lodge of the Bible owned by Rathbone, the founder of the organization and given to him by his mother, in which the notes of the first meeting were made by the founder.

SEIZED VESSELS BARRED BY DUTCH

BERLIN, April 17. — German steamers seized by Portugal will not be permitted to enter Dutch ports according to dispatches received here today, a Dutch committee having so decided after investigating the legal aspects of the seizure.

OBREGON EXPELS PLOTTERS AGIANST CARRANZA MONEY

WASHINGTON, April 17.—General Obregon, military head of the de facto government in Mexico City, it was learned here today, has ordered expelled from the country all Mexicans and foreign speculators who are convicted of conspiring to hold down the value of Carranza currency.

A Little Blossom To Delight the Home

When it is known that in the near future the home is to be blessed with a

new arrival the first thought should be "Mother's Friend." This is an external remedy gently applied over the stomach muscles. It makes them firm and pliant, they expand naturally without undue strain. It removes from the nerves those influences which are responsible for much of the pain incident to the period of expectancy. It is for this reason that much of the distress such as morning sickness is avoided. All prospective fathers should see to it that the expectant mother is provided with a bottle of "Mother's Friend."

The directions are simple. Get it at any drug store. It is applied by the expectant mother herself, it penetrates deeply and affords quick and splendid relief in a most gratifying manner and reflects a physical betterment to the nervous disposition of the baby. Don't fail to get a bottle of "Mother's Friend" today and then write Bradfield Regulator Co., 413 Lamar Bldg., Atlanta, Ga., for a pretty little book brimful of information for expectant mothers. It is a delight to read it.

LATEST

SAN ANTONIO, Texas, April 17.—Private I. M. Schenberg, sent into Farral ahead of the Column to announce the coming of Major Tompkins' command, never returned and is believed to have been killed, General Pershing stated this afternoon in a supplementary report on the Parral affray.

WASHINGTON, April 17.—Investigation of the Austrian submarine attack on the Russian ship Imperator with two Americans aboard was ordered by the state department this afternoon.

WASHINGTON, April 17.—"I believe Villa went into the mountains southwest of La Bjora with a small band," Colonel Howze reported to the war department this afternoon.

WASHINGTON, April 17.—Six Mexicans confessed participants in the Columbus, N. M., raid, have been captured in Mexico and turned over to the county sheriff at Columbus, the war department was advised this afternoon.

HERE'S ANOTHER WHO WOULD START 'STEENTH UPRISING

SAN ANTONIO, Texas, April 17.—Antonio I. Villoreal, at liberty under bond following his arrest by immigration authorities, charged with a plot against neutrality, today was reported preparing to cross the border and organize a new revolt with himself as leader. Villareal was said to be in the vicinity of Laredo, Texas. The reports, from Mexican sources, stated Villareal has a large following.

LITTLE GIRL IS CALLED BY DEATH

Jessie Evelyn Goldsmith, six-year-old daughter of Mr. and Mrs. William Goldsmith, died at 9:40 this morning at the home of her parents, 1408 South Ninth street. Funeral services will be held tomorrow morning at 10 o'clock at the home. Rev. C. C. Rowlison will officiate, and burial will be made in Oak Grove cemetery.

NEIGHBOR PASTORS SPEAK AT MISSION

Rev. Boynton of Stoddard, will speak at the La Crosse Rescue Mission tomorrow night. Rev. A. S. Gilbert of Onalaska, will speak Thursday night. Saturday night the Sunday school will give its Easter exercises. The public is invited to come and see the work done in this department.

Beginning today the office hours of Superintendent D. C. Dewey will be from 9:30 a. m. to 11:30 p. m. Those desiring men to work can call for them at that time or leave their order at his residence. This change will be only for the summer months.

ENORMOUS RATIONS RUSHED TO AMERICAN FIGHTERS AS "PRECAUTIONARY MEASURE"

COLUMBUS, N. M., April 17.—Enormous reserve rations have been rushed to the United States troops in Mexico as a "precautionary measure," an official of the quartermaster's corps said today.

"There are enough food supplies now in the field to carry the army to May 15, if no more is shipped," he stated.

General Pershing ordered the reserve supplies, also urgently calling for civilian scouts acquainted with the region south of Parral. To the officers here this indicated that the report of Villa's body found had not been confirmed and that Pershing intended to pursue farther south.

Fifty thousand reserve rations were rushed to the expeditionary forces in the last two days. Thousands of pairs of shoes and new clothing were transported at the same time. Several carloads of gasoline were forwarded in tank trucks. Nearly 400 tons of foodstuffs left the base camp here in three motor truck trains Sunday. The last six truck caravans carrying another vast supply of food left the base today.

D. A. R. PROTESTS OTHERS ACTIVITY IN PREPAREDNESS

WASHINGTON, April 17.—Charges that certain factions of the preparedness members of the Daughters of the American Revolution were too "closely connected" with the navy league led to a clash when the annual convention of the daughters opened at Continental hall today.

The first row of the day started when Mrs. Walter Reed of California asked that the program report submitted by Mrs. John Newman Cary of Indiana be changed regarding the preparedness meeting set for Wednesday night. Mrs. Reed insisted only one faction was represented among the speakers—the preparedness faction.

President Speaks

"When America forgets human rights she will have lost her title to her own high traditions," said President Wilson in an address of welcome to the Daughters of the American Revolution, this afternoon.

"America will never fight merely for herself. The only excuse America can ever have for asserting her physical force will be to fight in the interest of humanity."

TROUTERS HELD UP WHEN AUTO BREAKS DOWN NEAR SPARTA

When the front axel of his automobile snapped last night, County Clerk Bert A. Jolivette, who was piloting a party of trout fishermen back to La Crosse, was forced to abandon his machine on the road about five miles from Sparta. The fishing party, composed of Jolivette, Judge Leonard Kleeber, Lars Instenes and N. D. Tevis, spent the day below Trout Falls. Together they caught sixty trout.

LAKE OPEN AT BUFFALO

BUFFALO, N. Y., April 17.—With the big freight steamer William P. Snyder, Jr., and C. W. Cotcher pounding through huge ice fields in Lake Erie on their way to Duluth, Minn., lake navigation for the season of 1916 was considered open at this port today. Over 200 vessels wintered here. A number will feel their way out some time today.

OIL DECLARED A TRUST BY SENATE

WASHINGTON, April 17.—The senate this afternoon formally declared the Standard Oil company a trust, adopting a resolution by Martine of New Jersey which so described the organization.

The resolution called also for an investigation into why the gasoline is soaring toward the fifty cent mark despite the federal trade commission's report that there is plenty of crude oil on hand.

"The house already has adopted such a resolution and it came to nothing," objected Gallinger.

"It can do no harm," answered Martine.

"Oh, well, if it will amuse the senator I'll vote for it myself," said Gaddinger—and he did.

OFFICER RELIEVED OF AVIATION POST SCANDAL CAUSE

WASHINGTON, April 17.—Secretary of War Baker has censured General Scriven and relieved Col. Reber from aviation duty as the result of the army board's inquiry into the "aviation scandal."

President Wilson today approved the finding of the court martial in the case of Lieut.-Col. Goodier, reprimanding him for his alleged activities in the recent "scandal."

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In a few applications to its original dark, glossy shade, no matter how long it has been gray or faded, and dandruff removed by

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BOTH PHONES 323.

WANTED—MALE HELP

WANTED—Young man, steady employment. Pamperin Cigar So., 113 South Second street. 4 17 tf

WANTED—Men to learn the barber trade. Few weeks completes. Actual experience, careful instructions. A method that has placed thousands in good positions. Can we help you? Write. Moler Barber College, Milwaukee, Wis. Established 1893. 4 15 21

WANTED—District agents by a big manufacturer. Particulars free. Lustro Mfg. Co., 129 West Seventh street, Superior, Wis. 4 13 20

WANTED—A good shoemaker. Walk-Over Boot Shop, Anderberg & Rice. 4 12 tf

WANTED—Errand boy. Fred Kroner Hardware Co., 300 South Third St. 4 14 tf

WANTED — Experienced grocery clerk. Apply in writing. Address, M. care of Tribune. 4 15 18

WANTED—Paper hangers and painters. B. L. Johnson, 607 Main. 4 15 21

WANTED—Man and wife on farm. Everything furnished. Route 2, Box 39, Holmen, Wis. 4 15 22

WANTED—Men at quarry. Steady work. La Crosse Stone Co. 4 11 17

WANTED—A man to drive a light baggage wagon. C. Hopkins, Stoddard hotel. 4 17 18

WANTED—A porter at Stoddard hotel. 4 14 17

AGENTS

WANTED—One crew manager, one delivery man, 8 solicitors, picture men and book men given preference. Experience not necessary. Address 300, care of Tribune. 4 15 18

WANTED—Female Help

TEACHERS—How are you going to spend your summer vacation. Every year we employ teachers to represent us as secretaries for our Children's Home Chautauqua. Many make more money during their vacation than they do the other nine months of the year. Our work offers unusual opportunities for travel, recreation and for making money. Write us at once stating what business and professional experience you have had and complete information will be sent by return mail. Lewis E. Myers & Co., West Hotel, Minneapolis. 4 13 19

WANTED—Girls at Stoddard hotel. 4 14 17

WANTED—Girl for general housework. Mrs. G. B. Rose, 520 South Fourth. 4 12 tf

WANTED—Competent girl for general housework on farm. Address 66, care of Tribune. 4 12 25

WANTED—Girl. La Crosse Paper Box Co. Must be over 16 years of age. 4 7 tf

WANTED—A few more girls to work in Department G. Apply Star Knitting Co., 212 State street. 4 11 tf

WANTED—A girl for general housework. 124 South Seventeenth. 4 15 18

WANTED—Competent girl. 314 So Fifteenth. 4 13 tf

WANTED—Nurse girl. 517 South Fourth. 4 14 tf

SECOND GIRL wants position. Address A-44, care Tribune. 4 15 28

WANTED—Dining room girl. Home Restaurant, 118 South Fifth. 4 17 29

WANTED—Apprentice girls; sewing. Miss Schye, 219 South Fifth. 4 17 20

WANTED—Girl for general housework. 906 Mississippi. 4 17 29

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WANTED—Kitchen girl. Henry and Frank's Restaurant, 118 North Third street. 4 17 tf

WANTED—Competent girl for general housework. 1000 Main. 4 17 19

WANTED—Housekeeper. No children to care for. Prefer widow 30 to 35 years of age. Must be neat and clean and make good appearance, and have jolly disposition. Good wages to right party. P. O. Box 325, Davenport, Iowa. mon wed fri 4 24

SITUATIONS WANTED

SITUATION WANTED—Man and wife to work on farm or country place. Competent to take full management of any farm. Experienced with high class horses. No children. Address J. A. Downer, Lewiston, Minn. 4 14 20

MARRIED COUPLE wants position on farm in Minnesota or Iowa by the month. Address L, care of La Crosse Tribune. 4 15 18

REAL ESTATE For Sale or Trade

I HAVE TWO FARMS FOR SALE in Marinette county. For further information write to me. Jos Turcotte, Walsh, Wis. 4 17 22

FOR SALE—Ten room modern frame house. Inquire 2105 South Thirteenth street. 4 15 18

FOR SALE—40 acres of land on easy terms, $200 down, balance on terms to suit buyer. Located two and one-half miles from the city of Sparta on a good stone road. This would make an ideal poultry or truck farm. Address B. G., 215 No. L street, Sparta, Wis. 4 15 18

FOR SALE—At a bargain, lot S. W. corner West avenue and Tyler, and one on Tyler near West avenue. W. W. Scott, 1422 West avenue. 4 15 18

FOR SALE—120 acre improved farm; good large frame buildings; land perfectly level; near to good markets; big bargain for only $3,800; $1,500 cash, balance long time. L. Gross, Grand Rapids, Wis. Route 1. 4 14 20

FOR SALE—A new modern house at 1523 Winnebago. 4 12 18

FOR SALE—One lot 57x149 feet, one lot north of No. 149 S. Sixth street, very reasonable. Inquire L. J. Schams, Bangor, Wis. New phone. 4 13 19

FOR SALE—Eight room house. Must be sold at once. 726 South Sixteenth. Call mornings 8 to 10, evenings 5:30 to 9. 3 29 4 28

FOR SALE—First class lot on Hillview, facing park, across from city green houses. Call 907-M or address L. T., care of Tribune. 4 12 tf

ONE HUNDRED THIRTY ACRES best clay loam in La Crosse valley. Good buildings, with or without stock and machinery. Box 165, West Salem, Wis. 4 11 17

FOR SALE—Lots on 13th street between Adams and Farnam. Three lots on 22nd and Cass streets. Three lots on 22nd, between Cass and Madison. House and lot 1109 Logan street. Joseph Boschert, at National Bank of La Crosse. 4 5 18

FOR SALE—One corner lounge, two rocking chairs, pictures, one oak stand, kodak, phonograph and records. Call mornings, 121 South Eighth, upper flat, or phone 1142-R. 4 15 tf

FOR SALE—Summer cottage locations in "Shore Acres" on Mississippi. Buy now, build later. $100 buys acre. Terms if desired. W. V. Kidder, 114 North Fifth. 3 27 tf

FOR SALE—20 room hotel and bar in railroad town of 1,000. Feed barn in connection. Reasonable if taken at once. Address Hotel, care La Crosse Tribune. 4 7 20

FOR SALE—Seven room brick house, all modern except heat, choice lot, large trees, lawn, etc. Short walking distance, XLN, care Tribune, La Crosse, Wis. 3 7 tf

FOR SALE—Two residence lots on the corner of 14th and Jackson. Inquire 1403 Jackson street. 4 12 18

FOR SALE—Ten room house, modern except heat. Inquire 231 Mill street. 3 21 tf

FOR SALE—Six room house for removal, 320 Jay street. Inquire 427 Main street. 2 9 tf

FOR SALE — Two houses, 1733 George street, cheap. Inquire 330 South Twenty-second street. 3 24 4 23

FOR SALE—House and barn on one acre land. Inquire 1810 Green Bay street. 4 15 28

Wisconsin Farmlands

SETTLERS on our rich clay loam Forest county lands get free use of up-to-date clearing machinery. Crop failures never known here. Free collection of cream. Red clover, timothy, corn, small grains and potatoes yield abundantly. Literature written under the supervision of state and federal authorities. Write for free booklets. Per-Ola Land Company, 150 Main street, Crandon, Wis. 4 14 20

FOR SALE

FOR SALE—One mahogany dresser, almost new, two medium sized rugs, six dining room chairs, two bedroom chairs, one large mirror with beautiful oak frame. All at reasonable prices. See A. C. Nesheim, 1502 George street. 4 12 18

FOR SALE—Horse, surrey, road wagon, one single harness. Inquire 318 North Seventh. 4 14 17

FOR SALE—Modern residence at 803 South Eleventh. 4 6 19

GASOLINE ENGINES at bargain prices while they last. One 5 h. p. Stickney; one 4 h. p. Fairbanks; two 10 h. p. portables. The Castle Engineering Co., 325-327 Jay street.

FOR SALE—Cheap, a boat and portable engine. Call between 12 and 1. 1558-A. 4 17 22

FOR SALE—Two pool or billiard tables, one box ball alley, cheap if taken at once. Write Box 14, Ferryville, Wis. 4 12 17

FOR SALE—A No. 1 grocery, doing good business; also property. Good opportunity. "9," care Tribune. 4 1 29

FIRST-CLASS Player Piano. 126 North Third or Eagle's club. 4 15 21

BIG BARGAIN—Long Crispette machine outfit. Cash; trade. 1268-M. 4 15 21

SEED POTATOES that will grow. Mueller's Star Grocery, 1307 Market. 4 15 21

FOR SALE—Truck in good condition, 1500 lbs capacity. Cheap. Old phone 534. 4 15 21

MY SHARE in a manufacturing concern. Good reason for selling. Address "O," care Tribune. 4 11 17

FOR SALE—Bakery. Call 267 new phone, Onalaska, or Bell phone 2133-2 rings. 4 10 22

FOR SALE—Clay and best quality black dirt. La Crosse Stone Co. 4 11 5 10

FOR SALE—12 year old boys' scout suit, as good as new. 217 South 23rd street. 4 15 18

FOR SALE—White Onion sets, 12c a lb.; Yellow Onion sets, 10c a lb.; White Seed Potatoes, 2c a lb. F. R. Hickisch & Son., 828 Vine St. 3 24 tf

FOR SALE—A small refrigerator in good condition. 313 North Sixth. 4 15 18

BICYCLE—The best selling high grade wheel made. Weis' Book Store. 3 30 4 29

FOR SALE—23 foot launch hull. Call at 629 North Ninth street. 3 28 tf

FOR SALE—A good piano at a bargain if taken at once, at 203 Main. 3 28 tf

FOR SALE—Light driving team, double and single harness, rubber tired surrey and single buggy. Inquire 1646 George. 3 8 tf

COLUMBIA Double Disc Records 65c. Weis' Book Store. 3 30 4 29

BICYCLES—$20 to $60. Weis' Book Store, 533 Main. 3 30 4 29

FOR SALE—Piano; household furniture. Mrs. Childress, 514 South Seventh street. 4 17 19

FOR SALE—New living room, dining room and bedroom furniture, cheap if taken at once. Party leaving city. New phone 1414-M. 4 17 19

FOR SALE—Harley-Davidson 1915 model twin motorcycle, as good as new, for $125. Call 528 So. Third. 4 17 21

FOR SALE—A reed baby carriage. 517 South Fourth. 4 3 tf

FOR SALE—Seven foot mirror, $18. Call 1083-A. 4 17 19

FOR SALE—Light surrey, cheap. 1377-A New Phone. 4 15 19

FOR SALE—Barn. 1827 Kane St. 4 15 20

FOR RENT

FOR RENT—Four room flat, 311 King street. Inquire C. F. Klein, 310 Pearl. 4 15 tf

FOR RENT—40 acre truck and fruit farm, three miles from La Crosse. Inquire 629 South Eighth after 6 p. m. 4 15 tf

FOR RENT—Three furnished rooms for light housekeeping. 712 Cass. 4 17 22

FOR RENT—Store, best location, 1219 South Twelfth street. Inquire mornings. 803 South Eleventh St. 4 17 22

MODERN FURNISHED ROOMS—Young men preferred. 225 South Sixth. 4 17 22

FOR RENT—Upper modern flat with sun porch, also barn room for automobile. 429 South Fifth. 4 17 19

FOR RENT—Furnished rooms for light housekeeping. 516 Division. 4 17 19

FOR RENT—A six room house, modern except heat. 631 South Sixth. 4 17 19

FARM FOR RENT—Everything furnished. A snap. R. 2, Box 39, Holmen, Wis. 4 15 22

FOR RENT—Nicely furnished room, city heat, all modern. 423 Cass. 4 15 20

FOR RENT—Furnished rooms for light housekeeping. Private entrance. Call forenoons. 1008 Division. 4 11 17

FOR RENT—House, 416 South Seventh. Inquire 914 South Ninth. 4 14 17

RESTAURANT for rent or sale. Inquire 226 South Third street. 4 12 18

FOR RENT—Modern furnished room suitable for two. Gentlemen prefered. 1537 Berlin. 4 13 19

DOWNSTAIRS, modern, 920 South Seventh. New phone 1089-A. 4 13 17

FOR RENT—Six room modern flat after May 1. Inquire 1101 State. 4 10 tf

ROOM TO RENT—Four rooms, second floor, Bijou Theater building. City heat. Not for light housekeeping. See Bijou manager. 4 7 tf

FOR RENT—Eight room fully modern house, with garage and chicken coop, 1208 South Sixth. Inquire J. G. Jaekel, 1100 South Sixth. 4 6 tf

FOR RENT—Modern five room house, 1700 Market. 4 4 tf

FOR RENT—Office rooms formerly occupied by Dr. C. H. Marquardt, 308 Pearl street. Inquire of C. F. Klein, 310 Pearl street. 4 3 tf

FOR RENT—One modern furnished room. 631 State. 3 25 tf

FOR RENT—Newly furnished modern room. 912 Vine. 4 11 17

FOR RENT—Garage. Phone 1492-M. 4 12 18

FOR RENT—Automobile barn. Inquire at 612 Cass street. 4 14 18

FLAT, water, gas, lights, bath and furnace heat. 302 West avenue No. 4 15 18

MODERN FURNISHED ROOM—134 South Tenth street. 4 14 19

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FOR THE BEST MEALS in the city at their price come to Van Slyke's (old Henry & Frank's), 118 North Third. Pure, wholesome food; tasty cooking. Short orders all hours. Dinners 25c. Fish dinners Wednesday and Friday. R. N. Van Slyke, 118 North Third. 4 1 29.

EAT, EAT, EAT—Business men's lunch 25c. Short orders all day. Frank Quinn, 122 North Third street. 4 8 5 7

THE BIGGEST DINNER in city for 20c at Golden Spike, 226 South Third. Ed Herrera. 4 12 18

FINE STEAKS and regular dinners at Cozy Cafe, 121 So. 2nd St. Walter Fisher, Prop. 4 15 5 14

Tile Drainage

TILE DRAINAGE—Tile and drainage work. Room 10, Batavian Bank building. Phone 89-R. 3-25-4-24

A Column For Chicken Fanciers

FOR SALE—White Wyandotte eggs for hatching, from La Crosse and Sparta prize winners. Great layers. Price $1.50 per 15. 2350 Mormon Coulee road. Ed Schams. New phone 1554-C. 4 12 18

BARRED PLYMOUTH ROCK EGGS for hatching, $1 per 15; $4 per 100. New phone 931-A. Van Loon, La Crosse, Wis. S. E. Ccr. Losey Blvd. 4 5 5 4

SINGLE COMB RHODE ISLAND REDS eggs for hatching. $1.00 per 15. Heavy layers. G. Hayek, 919 Johnson. 3 29 4 28

FOR SALE—English Red Caps, prize winners, only $1.50 per setting of 15. 1314 South Ninth. Jim Matuska, phone 1088-R. 4 10 5 10

FOR SALE—Eggs for hatching from champion dark Cornish and pure blood Black Langshans. Geo. Dittman. Phone 285.

WANTED TO BUY—Setting hen. 1220 Market. New phone 375-C. 4 17 19

R. C. BROWN LEGHORN EGGS for hatching. John Schriver, 400 So. Third street. New phone 884-M. 4 17 22

FOR SALE—Black Minorca eggs for hatching. 1220 Market. New phone 375-C. 4 17 19

WHITE Silver Laced Wyandotte eggs for hatching. 1545-C. 916 Tyler. 4 13 19

FOR SALE—Chickens, incubator, brooder. 615 South Fourth. 4 13 17

FOR SALE—Full blooded White Leghorn eggs for hatching. Heavy layers. New phone 1178-A. 4 14 17

MISCELLANEOUS

CEMENT WORK—That cement work should be given attention at once. Let Moulis figure with you. 1616 South Tenth. 4 11 24

DON'T NEGLECT YOUR PIANO—Tuning $1.50. Repairing. Organs cleaned, repaired like new. Geo. Birdsell, 923 Grove street, 1094-C. 4 7 5 6

TO GIVE AWAY—Good iron pump and gas pipe trellis, 7 feet high, 60 feet long, covered with chicken wire. New phone 966-R. 4 17 19

WANTED—Second hand delivery automobile. Must be reasonable and in good condition. Will trade groceries for same. Address 800, Tribune. 4 17 19

MRS. K. J. LEVY, dressmaking, 421 South Fourth street, upstairs. 4 17 22

WANTED TO RENT—City heated house or flat. Call 1746-M. 4 17 22

DRESSMAKING—Suits; good fitter; best workmanship guaranteed. 1408-A. 930 Mississippi. 417 27

VIOLA C. Bitzer, competent teacher of piano. Lesson 50c. Special attention to children. New 1219-A. 4 7 5 6

N. A. MAGNUSSEN, 711 Market St. Cement work of all kinds. Phone 1056-R. 4 5 5 4

WANTED—Two furnished rooms for light housekeeping. Phone 375-C. 4 14 17

FREE DIRT at 1323 Vine. 4 13 19

LOST

LOST—A large berastpin, oval rim of small gold nuggets, valued as keep sake. Will pay larger reward than value if returned to Mrs. S. Wanko, 306 Pearl. 3 15 18

LOST—On Avon street, a chatelaine watch pin with small diamond setting. Return to 1306 Avon street. 4 15 18

LOST—Saturday afternoon at La Crosse theater, purse containing money. New phone 491-C. Reward. 4 17 17

LOST—Sunday, April 2, child's yellow automobile, left on Main street between Eleventh and Twelfth. Finder please notify F. H. Burgess, Tribune office, or 137 South Eleventh. Reward. 4 13 tf

LOST—Watch fob, initials O. F. Return 901 South Third street. Reward. 4 12 18

LOST—Gold mounted hair bracelet, valued as keepsake. Return to Mrs. Emily R. Hauser, R. R. No. 3, La Crosse. 4 11 17

LOST—Thursday evening, black velvet suit belt. Call 951-C. 4 15 18

STOVES and FURNITURE

WE PAY THE HIGHEST PRICE for second hand furniture, stoves, carpets, rags, rubbers, metals. Jacobs, 223 Pearl St. New phone 555-R. 3 21 4 20

SECOND-HAND furniture & stoves. Bell Furniture Co., 216 So. Third. 3 17 tf.

Automobiles for Sale

FOR SALE—One 1915 Case seven-passenger touring car, fully equipped and in A-1 condition. Phone 1566-C. 4 15 21

ONE CADILLAC 1912, $550; one five passenger Kissel Kar, $775; one delivery truck, first class, $450. General Motor Car Co., 207 State St. 4 17 19

FOR SALE—Rambler runabout, cheap if taken at once. Apply 412 South Fourth. 4 17 22

FOR SALE—Metz roadster, $185; five passenger Studebaker, $285. Elsen & Philips, new phone 61; old 5613, 110 South Second street. 4 17 20

FORD RUNABOUT, fully equipped, for sale cheap if sold at once. P. T., care of Tribune. 4 17 18

FOR SALE—Cheap. One 500 pound Chase motor truck. Sarge-Ennison company, 108 South Second street. 4 15 21

FOR SALE—Second hand automobile, cheap. Will also trade for stock. C. L. Baldwin. Phone 658-C. 4 8 tf

1916 ALTER touring car, $685, f. o. b. factory. J. C. Freng, agent, Radke Taxi Livery, 117 North Third. 4 6 5 6

JEFFERY 6, $1,450; Jeffery 4, $1,000; Glide 6, $1,095; Crow, $725; Republic trucks, $900 to $2,400. La Crosse Motor Truck Co., W. H. Ristow, manager. 4 3 5 2

1916 Hupmobile roadster, $1,085; touring car, $1,085; 7 pass. car, $1,225. P. Hofweber, 113 Main street. 3 31 4 30

1916 MARION, 6, $1090; Dort 4, $660; 1916 Imperial, $995. Berling & Schurz Co., 413 North Third. 3 29 4 28

1911 Cadillac $400.00
Waverley Electric $600.00
1914 Imperial $900.00
Zimmer Motor Car Co. 3 28 4 27

1916 Maxwell, $655; 1916 Chalmers 6-30, $1,050. Rybold & Weihaupt Co., 217 South Front street. 3 25 4 24

1916 PULLMAN 4, 32 h. p. touring car and roadster, $740. Western Sales Co., 417 South Third. 4 3 5 2

1911 REO touring car, $285; 1913 Reo touring car, $425, Dietz Garage, 209 State street. 3 4 tf

1916 BRISCOE 4, $785; Briscoe 8, $950; Briscoe "24," $585. La Crosse Car Co., 219 North Third. 4 5 1 mo

FORD PRICES

Ford roadster $390
Touring car $440
Delivery car ....$410 up
F. O. B. factory.
HARRY DAHL, FORD GARAGE. 4 17 tf

CUT RATE SHIPPING

CUT RATES on household goods to Pacific coast and other points, superior service at reduced rates. The Boyd Transfer Co., Minneapolis, Minn.

Carpet, Rug Cleaning

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FINANCIAL

FOURTH BUILDING ASSOCIATION has for sale three acres in the city limits. 2 3 tf

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COMPETENT NURSE, experienced in obstetrical nursing and in caring for the aged. References. Flora L. Mills, 1305 Vine Phone 793-M. 3 28 4 27

COMPETENT NURSE will take confinement cases at her home or go nursing by hour or week. 934 Division street. 1076-M. 4 7 5 6

LEGAL NOTICES

NOTICE TO CONTRACTORS.

Sealed proposals for the erection of a brick veneer church building at Ettrick, Wis., will be received by Rev. P. Briody and the building committee at or before the hour of 2 o'clock p. m., May 11, 1916, in accordance with the plans and specifications prepared by J. G. Schneider, architect, of Arcadia, Wis.

The work also includes the tearing down of the old church, the serviceable material of which to be used in erecting the new building.

Each proposal must be accompanied by a certified cheque of $100, payable to the Catholic congregation of Ettrick, Wis., which cheque will be forfeited to the congregation, providing award of contract is made to the bidder and he fails to enter into contract for said work and furnish the required bond.

The right is reserved to reject any or all proposals.

Plans and specifications may be seen at the residence of Rev. P. Briody, Ettrick, Wis., or at the office of J. G. Schneider, architect, Arcadia, Wis.

Amount of bond required is equal to the contract price of work.

Foreign Markets

New York Stocks

NEW YORK, April 17.—The stock market opened strong today, reflecting the sentiment resulting from the Mexican reports. Mexican Petroleum showed the biggest gain, opening at 106, up 3½, and selling upward. American Smelters also showed gains.

Munition shares were up Crucible opening a point higher at 89¾. American Locomotive and Baldwin opened fractionally higher. Steel opened at 83¾, up ⅝.

Prices sagged during the early afternoon until nearly the entire list was below Saturday's close. Crucible declined two points more, but the decline of others was small. The chief factor seemed to be the status of the munitions companies. The entire list reacting in sympathy with these stocks.

During the second hour a raid on munitions stocks not only wiped out their early gains but resulted in considerable loss. Bethlehem Steel sold at 430, off 38½ points. Baldwin Locomotive sold down to 99½ and Crucible Steel dropped to 88. The reaction was evidently on reports that the allies will not in the future place as large war orders in this country as in the past.

The market closed steady.

New York Money

NEW YORK, April 17.—Money on call, 2 per cent; time money, 3 per cent for six months; prime mercantile paper, 3 to 3¼ per cent.

Bar silber: London, 30 9-16d; New York, 64c.

Demand sterling, 4.76½.

Kansas City Livestock

KANSAS CITY, Mo., April 17.—Cattle—Receipts, 12,000; market steady; steers, $7 to $9.75; cows and heifers, $5.50 to $9.75; stockers and feeders, $6.75 to $8.75; calves, $6.50 to $10.25.

Hogs—Receipts, 13,000; market steady, 5c higher; bulk, $9.50 to $9.70; heavy, $9.65 to $9.75; medium, $9.55 to $9.75; light, $9.45 to $9.65.

Sheep—Receipts, 18,000; market steady, 10c higher; lambs, $10.75 to $11.60; ewes, $7.75 to $8.75; stockers and feeders, $6 to $10.50.

Chicago Livestock

CHICAGO, April 17.—The hog market closed slow today at low opening prices. Dull trading and heavy offerings were responsible. Top for hogs was $10; estimated receipts for tomorrow are 14,000. Cattle were fairly steady up to the close when prices fell off 10 cents; top for cattle $9.95. Sheep closed weak; top for sheep $9.15; lambs $11.65.

UNION STOCK YARDS, Ill., April 17.—Hogs—Deceipts, 49,000; marpet 10c lower; mixed and butchers, $9.50 to $10; good heavy, $9.80 to $9.95; rough heavy, $9.40 to $9.55; light, $7.40 to $9.20; pigs, $7.40 to $9.20.

Cattle—Receipts, 10,000; market 10c lower; beeves, $7.90 to $9.95; cows and heifers, $4 to $9.10; stockers and feeders, $7.70 to $8.65; Texans, $7.70 to $8.65; calves, $7.25 to $10.50; westerns, $7.75 to $8.65.

Sheep—Receipts, 18,000; market 10c lower; native, $6.90 to $8.75; western, $7.30 to $9.15; lambs, $7.65 to $11.10; western, $7.90 to $11.65.

Chicago Produce

CHICAGO, April 17. — Butter—Creamery extras, 34 1-2c; extra firsts, 34c; firsts, 33 to 33 1-2c; seconds, 30 to 32c.

Eggs—Ordinaries, 19 1-2 to 20c; firsts, 20 1-4 to 20 3-4c.

Cheese—Twins, 17c; Young Americas, 17 1-2c.

Live Poultry—Fowls, 18 1-2c; ducks, 16 to 18c; geese, 10 to 13c; springs, 18 1-2c; turkeys, 20c.

Potatoes—Receipts 37 cars; Wisconsin, Minnesota, 75 to 80c; Michigan and Ohio, 75 to 80c.

Chicago Cash Grain

CHICAGO, April 17.—Wheat—No. 2 red, $1.20 to $1.21; No. 3 red, $1.17 1-2 to $1.19; No. 2 hard, $1.16 to $1.18 1-2; No. 3 hard, $1.10 1-2 to $1.13 1-4; No. 3 spring, $1.11 3-8 to $1.15 1-4.

Corn—No. 2 yellow, 77 3-4 to 78 1-2c; No. 3 yellow, 77 3-4c; No. 4 yellow, 73 1-4 to 75c; No. 5 yellow, 75c; No. 6 yellow, 71c; No. 2 white, 78c; No. 4 white, 73 1-2 to 74 3-4c; No. 2 mixed, 76 to 76 1-2c; No. 3 mixed, 74 3-4 to 75 3-4c; No. 4 mixer, 73 to 73 1-2c; No. 5 mixed, 71c; No. 6 mixed, 69 to 70 1-2c.

Oats—No. 3 white, 43 3-4 to 45 1-4c; No. 4 white, 42 1-4 to 44 1-4c; Standard, 46 1-2c.

Barley, 63 to 76c.

Rye—No. 2, 97 1-2c.

Timothy, $4.50 to $8.00.

Clover, $10.00 to $18.50.

Chicago Grain Review

CHICAGO, April 17.—Wheat was irregular today. It had a quick recovery from the low opening, but the bearish movement caused it to drop again later. The weather map showed ideal conditions all over the entire grain belt. May was down 1-8c at 115 1-4, July up 1-8c at 114 1-4, and September up 1-2c at 112 1-8.

The corn market was firmer and prices were slightly advanced, although the offerings were exceedingly small. May was up 1-2c at 75 3-8c; July showed an advance of 3-8c at 76 7-8c, and September was up 1-4c at 76 5-8c.

The trend of oats was slightly higher. Commission men were selling because of the slight dip in wheat. May was up 1-4c at 45 1-8c; July also advanced 1-4c at 43 1-4c;

Daily Markets

Quoted by John C. Burns.)

Wholesale

Strawberries, La., pints, ...15c
Apples, Wash., box $1.25
Apples, Wine Sap, box $2,25
Apples, R. I. Greenings, bbl ..$3,50
Apples, Ben Davis, bbl $2,50
Apples, Baldwins, bbl $3.00
Apples, Gano, bbl $2.50
Oranges, Sunkist Navels 80 size $2.40
Oranges, Sunkist Navels 96 size $2.75
Oranges, Sunkist Navels, 112 size $3.00
Orankes, Sunkist Navels, 126 size $3.25
Oranges, Sunkist Navels, 150 size $3.50
Oranges, Sunkist Navels, 176 size $3.75
Oranges, Sunkist Navels 200 216, 250 size $4.00
Oranges, Sunkist Navels 288, 324 size $3.00
Oranges, Med. Sweets, all sizes $3.50
Cider, clarified ½ bbl $4.00
Cider, steam refined $4.00
Cider, crab apple, ½ bbl $5.50
Pine Apples, crate $5.00
Bananas $1.50, $2.00 $2.50
Lemons, 300 to 360 box $4.00
Grape Fruit, per box $3.75
Celery, California, per doz .... .90
Oysters, Standard, gal $1.20
Oysters, Selects, per gal $1.60
Potatoes, Minn., bu .... .90
Potatoes, Wisconsin, bu ...... .85
Rutabagas, per hd. .... .75
Onions, per hd $3.00
Cabbage, per hundred $2.50
Carrots, per tub $1.25
Parsnips, per tub $1.25

Livestock

(Quoted by Farmers' Co-operative Packing Company)

Hogs ....$7.50 to $9.00
Cows ....$3.00 to $5.50
Steers ....$5.00 to $6.50
Heifers ....$4.50 to $6.00
Calves ....$5.00 to $7.50
Sheep ....$3.50 to $5.00
Spring Lambs ......$5.50 to $7.00

Poultry

Chickens .... 12 to 13c
Turkeys 16c
Ducks ....10 to 12c
Geese 9c

Provisions

Lard, per pound ....12 to 13c
Shoulders, per pound ..10 to 10½c
Picnic, per pound ....12 to 13c
Bacon, per pound ......15 to 22c
Ham, per pound ....16 to 18c
Dried Beef, per pound ....18 to 23c

Grain

(Quoted by Farmers Co-operative Market Co.)

Corn ....75 to 85c
Oats ....40 to 50c
Wheat ....90 to $1.00
Rye ....80 to 85c
Barley .... 65 to 75c

Flour and Feed

(Quoted by Listman Mill Co.)

Flour

Patent, per barrel $6.80
Straight, per barrel $6.60

Feed

Bran, per ton, 100 lb. sacks $24.00
Shorts, per ton, 100 lb. sacks $25.00
White Middlings, per ton, 100 pound sacks $30.00
Red Dog, ton, 100 lb. sacks $32.00

Butter and Eggs

(Quoted by Hawley Com. Co.)

Creamery butter, pound ..37 to 38c
Dairy, Butter, per pound ..32 to 34c
Eggs, fresh, dozen 20c

Cheese

(Henry Anderegg.)

Fancy full cream Brick Cheese, in cases ....16½ to 17½c
Wisconsin Twins ......17 to 17½c
Wisconsin Daisy's ......17 to 18c
Wisconsin Limburger ...18 to 20c
Wisconsin Swiss, round..32 to 35c
Full Swiss, block ......24 to 28c
Primost 7½c
Mysost 8½c

PNEUMONIA TAKES BABY DAUGHTER

Pneumonia caused the death Friday afternoon of little Lillian Roubik, eleven-months-old daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Wenzel Roubik, 1226 South Eleventh street. Three brothers and six sisters survive beside Lillian's parents. The baby had been sick only a week. Funeral services were held yesterday afternoon from St. Wenceslaus church, Rex. Xavier Till having charge of the obsequies. Burial was made in the Catholic cemetery.

FINANCE HEAD VISITS BERLIN

BERLIN, Apri 117.—No special questions were discussed during the visit in Berlin of Baron Barian, Austrian financial minister, it was stated today. Baron Barian left last night for Vienna.

September was down 1-8c at 39 7-8c. Provisions were unchanged.

	Open.	High.	Low.	Close.
WHEAT—				
May	.115⅜	116⅜	113½	114¼
July	.114⅛	115¼	112⅞	113⅝
Sept.	.111⅝	112⅞	110⅜	111⅜
CORN—				
May	75⅛	76⅛	75⅛	75⅞
July	76½	77⅛	76¼	76¾
Sept.	76⅜	77	76⅜	76½
OATS—				
May	44⅞	45⅜	44¾	45⅛
July	43	43½	42⅞	42⅞
Sept.	40	40	39¾	39¾
PODK—				
May	23.20	23.20	23.00	23.00
Sept.	22.92	23.05	22.92	22.00
LARD—				
May	11.72	11.75	11.67	11.67
July	11.87	11.90	1182	12.32
RIBS—				
May	12.30	12.40	12.32	12.32
July	12.50	12.55	12.47	12.47

ALL THE SPORTING NEWS AND GOSSIP OF THE DAY

LEAGUES IN SECOND WEEK SHOW REAL STUFF TO FANS

NEW YORK, April 17.—With the major league season starting on its second week of the 1916 season today, the two Boston clubs have lived up to the dope to date, each leading its league. The Speakerless Red Sox forced from 8 to 5 to 3 to 1 in the betting when Lannin took $50,000 for the outfielder, have nabbed their three games, and seem to be doing very nicely without him. If Detroit is looked upon as an immediate contender, Speaker was a positive help to Boston yesterday, playing a big part in Cleveland's defeat of the Tigers, and putting them in seventh place.

In the National the Braves, leading with two victories and no defeats, are pressed hardest by Cincinnati.

With the exception of Mathewson, most of the old reliables indicated they are pointed for good seasons. Walter Johnson, the big gun for the Senators, pitched one of the best games of his career on opening day when he held the Yanks to five scattered bingles.

J. Franklin Baker is better than ever.

Honus Wagner, the Pirate strength tower at short, is just as kittenish as ever. Cobb is on the road to glory and Eddie Collins, for the White Sox, is still an offensive and defensive marvel.

Bennie Kauff has given the fans some action, but has not lived up to his pre-season conversation.

THREE WILL PLAY FOR CUE HONORS AT THE Y. M. C. A.

Billiard finals, to decide the champion of the Y. M. C. A., will be played this week, with Dahlgren, Schewe and Johnson leaders respectively, in classes A, B and C. Dahlgren is handicapped at 100 and Schewe and Johnson at 55 and 40, but it is probable altered handicaps will be arranged for the big series, the playing of the men throughout the tournament to be taken as the basis.

WATCHING THE SCOREBOARD

Tris Speaker hit his batting stride Sunday. The Red Sox star slapped out a double and two singles for the Indians. Cobb got a double and a single.

St. Louis kept the Cub run column clean Sunday. The Bruins have gone 27 innings without a tally.

Hal Chase broke back into the big league with a screaming two bagger and a single. Chase was put in when Mollwitz was benched for arguing with Umpire O'Day.

The White Sox just couldn't keep it up. After taking three straight from the Tigers they broke under a stiff lashing by the St. Louis Browns.

Veach, Detroit left fielder, batted a thousand. He whaled the leather for three doubles and a single.

There were two extra inning games. The Indians won out in the tenth from Detroit, and the Cardinals duplicated with the Cubs.

The Pirates added Otto Knabe, former manager of the Baltimore Federals, to their list. Knabe will report Thursday, when Pittsburg opens the local season.

TINKER STARTS A "MAIL" SCHOOL FOR BASEBALL

SPRINGFIELD, Ill., April 17.—Joe Tinker, manager of the Chicago Cubs, sprung the latest "wrinkle" in the national pastime Saturday when a correspondence school of baseball was launched under his name. The object is to give and furnish by correspondence or otherwise instructions in the game of baseball. Tinker will be the dean of the new institution. Assisting him in dispensing the "inside stuff" in how to become a "Ty" Cobb or "Christy" Mathewson will be Percy Skillin, former pitching star of Dartmouth, and Joseph B. Bishop.

WISCONSIN BEATS DUBUQUE

DUBUQUE, Ia., April 17. — The University of Wisconsin baseball team defeated the Dubuque German college nine by a score of 5 to 4.

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INDIANS DEFEAT TIGERS IN GAME OF MANY FEATURES

Cobb and Young Thrown Out at Plate; Batting Rally Saves the Locals

CLEVELAND, O., April 17.—With two out in the tenth inning, Graney of Cleveland tripled, scoring O'Neill and winning the game on Sunday for Cleveland over Detroit by the score of 4 to 3. Detroit outbatted Cleveland nearly two to one, their thirteen hits including seven doubles, but the spectacular support given the Cleveland pitchers held the score down.

Cobb was thrown out at the plate by Roth in the ninth inning and Young was thrown out at the plate by Speaker in the tenth. Veach carried off the batting honors with three doubles and a single in five times at bat.

One of the largest crowds that ever attended a professional ball game in Cleveland was present. It is estimated that 8,000 people were turned away, unable to gain admission.

Score:		R	H	E
Detroit	...1010000010—	3	13	2
Cleveland	...0002000011—	4	8	0

Batteries: Bagby, Coumbe and O'Neill; Dauss and Stanage.

Browns 6; Chicago 5

Score:		R	H	E
St. Louis	....100050000—	6	5	0
Chicago	....010000301—	5	5	2

Batteries: Weilman, Davenport, Plank and Hartley; Benz, Russell, Wolfgang, Scott and Schalk.

The rain yesterday morning caused the absence of a large number of gunners from the regular weekly shoot of the La Crosse Gun club. J. A. Bartl was high amateur, breaking 44 out of 50 with Ludwig Kroner a close second with 43 to his credit. C. C. Mitchell, professional, lead the entire field with 48. Scores:

C. C. Mitchell	50	48
J. A. Bartl	50	44
Ludwig Kroner	50	43
C. F. Sutor	50	42
A. L. Moll	50	41
Ed Newburg	50	35

ERRORS BAD FOR LOWDERMILK

CLEVELAND, Ohio, April 17.—Grover Lowdermilk, Detroit Tiger pitcher, was purchased Saturday by the Cleveland Indians. Hughie Jennings has asked waivers on the lanky hurler because he walked three men in a row in Friday's game with the white Sox.

COULON TRIES AGAIN

CHICAGO, April 17.—Johnny Coulon, ex-bantamweight champion, will try another come-back April 25, when he meets Johnny Ritchie at Kenosha, it was announced today.

STATE P. T. O. MEET

MADISON, Wis., April 17.—(Special.)—The annual convention of the Wisconsin congress of mothers and parent teacher associations will be held here April 27 and 28 in the assembly chamber. The address of welcome will be delivered by State Superintendent C. P. Cary.

She is a wise woman who can laugh or cry just at the psychological moment.

MEAT INJURIOUS TO THE KIDNEYS

Take a tablespoonful of Salts if Back hurts or Bladder bothers.

We are a nation of meat eaters and our blood is filled with uric acid, says a well known authority, who warns us to be constantly on guard against kidney trouble.

The kidneys do their utmost to free the blood of this irritating acid, but become weak from the overwork; they get sluggish; the eliminative tissues clog and thus the waste is retained in the blood to poison the entire system.

When your kidneys ache and feel like lumps of lead, and you have stinging pains in the back or the urine is cloudy, full of sediment, or the bladder is irritable, obliging you to seek relief during the night; when you have severe headaches, nervous and dizzy spells, sleeplessness, acid stomach or rheumatism in bad weather, get from your pharmacist about four ounces of Jad Salts; take a tablespoonful in a glass of water before breakfast each morning and in a few days your kidneys will act fine. This famous salts is made from the acid of grapes and lemon juice, combined with lithia, and has been used for generations to flush and stimulate clogged kidneys, to neutralize the acids in urine so it is no longer a source of irritation, thus ending urinary and bladder disorders.

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REDS EASILY BEAT PIRATES ALTHOUGH TONEY WAS WILD

Pittsburg Uses Three Pitchers But Fails to Stay Attack of Cincinnati

CINCINNATI, April 17.—Cincinnati easily took the first game of the series from Pittsburgh here on Sunday, 6 to 1. Pittsburgh was forced to use three pitchers, while Toney's wildness kept the large crowd in doubt many times as to what the final result would be.

Chase was put in the game when O'Day sent Mollwitz from the field for disputing a strike when the umpire called on him. Score:

		R	H	E
Pittsburgh	...000010000—1	4	4	
Cincinnati	..01302000x—6	9	1	

Batteries: Miller, Hill, Cooper and Schmidt; Toney and Clarke.

Cards 1; Cubs 0

Score:		R	H	E
Chicago	...0000000000—0	7	3	
St. Louis	...0000000001—1	6	1	

Batteries: McConnell and Fischer; Meadows, Sallee and Snyder.

WOLGAST AIDS HAMMER

CHICAGO, April 17.—Ad Wolgast will aid Ever Hammer in training for a bout at Milwaukee next Monday with Champion Freddie Welsh, it was announced today.

CROSS COUNTRY TONIGHT

The third cross country run of the season will be held at 8 o'clock tonight from the Y. M. C. A., the men to take a jaunt of two miles. The men ran to the normal school Thursday night.

MILWAUKEE DEPOT AT NEW LISBON BURNS TO GROUND

Engine Sparks Ignite Old Frame Structure and Wind Aid the Flames; Company to Rebuild

NEW LISBON, Wis., April 17.—(Special.—The Milwaukee railroad station here, containing ticket and telegraph offices, baggage rooms and express offices, burned to the ground Saturday night. The major part of the building's contents was taken out by railroad men, although efforts to save the building itself were futile.

The fire is believed to have started from sparks from a passing engine. The railroad company had intended to erect a new station within a year, and will now build immediately.

Local and Personal

Charles Leichl, Jr., left for Milston Friday on a fishing trip.

Miss Cunol, county superintendent, has just issued a school bulletin for Juneau county teachers, filled with many helpful suggestions.

Miss Lilly Seilstad, teacher in the Rhinelander schools, called here between trains, while on her way to her home in La Crosse Saturday.

Miss Marion Hutchins is visiting in Mable, Minn.

Mrs. A. V. Robinson and Mrs. Horsewell were business callers in Mapston Saturday.

Miss Athelin Talley and Mr. Chester Minners of Elkhart, Ind., are spending a few days in La Crosse.

Mr. J. P. Gibson entertained a party of friends at Mr. Hutchins' picture show Friday evening.

Miss Annie K. Hanson of the Price county training school is spending a week's vacation here.

Mrs. Charles Hubbard went to Tomah Saturday to remain until Mr. Hubbard locates.

R. C. Blakeslee is busy repairing wires at the depot.

Miss Marion Loberg is home from Stevens Point normal for a few days.

Mrs. Mannie Eberhart made a business trip to Clifton.

Miss Blanche Odell is spending the week at her home in Mauston.

Mrs. Van Wormer from Babcock is the guest of relatives and friends for a few days.

Mr. and Mrs. Y. Elwell and daughter Margaret, Miss Fortun, Miss Brown, Charles Leicht and Will Sargent spent Sunday at Had Smith's.

Miss Katherine Waldon spent the week-end with friends in Mauston.

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American League	Won	Lost	Pct.
Boston	3	0	1.000
St. Louis	3	1	.750
Chicago	3	2	.600
Washington	1	1	.500
New York	1	1	.500
Cleveland	2	2	.500
Detroit	1	4	.200
Philadelphia	0	3	.000
National League			
Boston	2	0	1.000
Cincinnati	4	1	.800
Philadelphia	2	1	.667
St. Louis	3	2	.600
Pittsburg	2	3	.400
New York	1	2	.333
Chicago	1	4	.200
Brooklyn	0	2	.000

SUNDAY'S RESULTS

American League

New York, 3; Washington, 1.
Boston, 2; Philadelphia, 1.
Cleveland, 3; St. Louis, 0.
Chicago, 9; Detroit, 4.

National League

Philadelphia, 5; New York, 4.
Boston, 4; Brooklyn, 2.
Cincinnati, 2; Chicago, 0.
Pittsburg, 6; St. Louis, 1.

GAMES TODAY

National League

New York at Brooklyn, cloudy.
Boston at Philadelphia, cloudy.
Pittsburg at Cincinnati, clear.
Chicago at St. Louis, clear.

American League

Philadelphia at New York, cloudy.
Washington at Boston, clear.
Detroit at Cleveland, clear.
St. Louis at Chicago, clear.

HENRY FORD MAY HEAD PACIFISTS

WASHINGTON, April 17.—There is likely to be a pacifist party in the coming presidential race. Its nominee is likely to be Henry Ford, unless Ford prevents. As a step toward bringing this to a pass, it was learned today, Ford's name will be entered in the republican primary fight in Pennsylvania before the books close tomorrow.

Rudolph Spreckles, who has been in Washington last week, left for Detroit for the purpose, friends say, of persuading Ford to declare himself a full fledged candidate.

WOULD STOP ARMS

WASHINGTON, April 17—A resolution directing President Wilson to stop further exportation of arms and ammunition in Mexico was offered in the house by Representative Rodenburg of Illinois Saturday.

"When a Feller Needs a Friend" - - By Briggs

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